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Subject of Request: Robert Jay Mathews

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Dear Requester: 89-5801 11/26/84 - 6/6/85 1-2a
157-29836 1 - unmarked 7/11/73 - 5/17/76 cc: Phoenix 157-1401

Enclosed are copies of documents from FBI records. Excisions have been made to protect information exempt from disclosure pursuant to Title 5, United States Code, Section 552 (Freedom of Information Act) and/or Section 552a (Privacy Act). In addition, where excisions were made, the appropriate exempting subsections have been cited opposite the deletions. Where pages have been withheld in their entirety, a deleted page information sheet has been substituted showing the reasons or basis for the deletion. The subsections cited for withholding information from the enclosed documents are marked below:

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(See Form OPCA-16a, enclosed, for an explanation of these exemptions.)

Pursuant to your request, 1671 pages(s) were reviewed and 1364 page(s) are being released.

During the review of material pertinent to the subject of your request, documents were located which

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☐ contain information furnished by another Government agency(ies). You will be advised by the FBI as to the releasability of this information following our consultation with the other agency(ies).

☒ If you desire, you may appeal any denials contained herein. Appeals should be directed in writing to the Co-Director, Office of Information and Privacy, U.S. Department of Justice, Flag Building, Suite 570, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001 within sixty days from receipt of this letter. The envelope and the letter should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal" or "Information Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA number assigned to your request so that it may be easily identified.

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☒ See additional information which follows.

Sincerely yours,

Chief
Freedom of Information-
Privacy Acts Section
Office of Public and Congressional Affairs

Enclosures (12)

Receipt is acknowledged of your payment of duplication fees in the amount of $126.30.

For your information, two documents located in FBI Headquarters file 87-160607 are unavailable at this time. These documents are being reviewed to ascertain if they warrant classification under current standards. As soon as the classification review is completed, these documents will be processed and the results forwarded to you.

To minimize costs to both you and the FBI, extra file copies of the same documents were not processed.

FILE DESCRIPTION

SUBJECT ROBERT JAY MATHEWS

FILE NO. 157-29836

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
MAY 1962 EDITION
GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STAT. GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: 7/11/73

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (157-1401) (P)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, aka
Arthur James Parker
EM-WHG

OO: PX

RePXlet and LHM to the Bureau, dated 3/22/73, entitled, "SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL), EM-WHG."

Enclosed for Dallas is one (1) copy of the above-referenced communication and two (2) copies of photograph of MATHEWS.

On 6/11/73, Agent [redacted] ATF, advised that he had obtained information from a source, known to him to be reliable, that captioned subject was working at a ranch near Dallas, Texas, exact location unknown. It is believed that after MATHEWS left Arizona, he traveled to California where he met with a right-wing extremist group [redacted] known as the "Church of Jesus Christ Ministry." It is, therefore, believed that MATHEWS received instructions from the above group to travel to the ranch near Dallas which ranch is owned by or associated with the [redacted] group REC 43 MCT-1 157-29836-1

For information of Dallas, on 2/8/73, [redacted] Treasury Department, Intelligence Division, Los Angeles, California, advised the Los Angeles Division of the FBI that the Ministry of Christ Church had purchased about 100 acres of undeveloped land in Mariposa County, California, for $38,000.00 to be used as a paramilitary training base for members of [redacted] church. Eventually, there would be barracks, meeting halls, a commissary, and firing range. Construction of the buildings is in progress.

On 7/2/73, SA [redacted] Los Angeles Division,

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2 - Phoenix

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telephonically advised that it is unknown if the [redacted] Group owns land outside of California; however, there appears to be autonomous groups in other states which are associated with the [redacted] Group and may own land in their respective states. b7C

The following description is furnished for Dallas:

Name:	ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
Alias:	Arthur James Parker
Sex:	Male
Race:	Caucasian
Date of Birth:	1/16/53
Height:	5'6"
Weight:	160 pounds
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Brown
Social Security Account Number:	527-04-2870

Based on the above, the Dallas Division is requested to contact established sources in an effort to locate MATHEWS. Should Dallas verify MATHEWS' residence in Texas, Phoenix will submit LHM and FD-128.

As MATHEWS has been known to possess firearms in the past, and threatened law enforcement officers, he should be considered ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 10/16/73

FROM SAC, DALLAS (157-2838) (RUC)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, aka
Arthur James Parker
EM-WHG

OO: PHOENIX

Re Phoenix letter to the Bureau dated 7/11/73.

On 8/17/73, a review of Dallas indices was negative regarding MATHEWS.

On 8/28/73, no record or other information identifiable with ROBERT JAY MATHEWS was located with the following:

[redacted] Identification and Records Section, Dallas, Texas Police Department. b7C

[redacted] Identification Section, Dallas County Sheriff's Office, Dallas, Texas.

Operator 15, Credit Bureau Services, Dallas, Texas.

On 9/11/73, [redacted] who has provided reliable information in the past and who has knowledge of most white hate type of activities occurring within the Dallas Division, advised that ROBERT JAY MATHEWS and the Sons of Liberty are completely unknown to him. b2 b7D

On 9/20/73, Lieutenant [redacted], Subversive Unit, Intelligence Section, Dallas Police Department, advised a review of his records is negative regarding a reference identifiable with ROBERT JAY MATHEWS. b7C

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On 10/10/73, Agent [redacted] Intelligence Section, Internal Revenue Service, Dallas, Texas, was contacted regarding MATHEWS and advised of MATHEWS' past activities and information that he was possibly in the Dallas, Texas, area. b7C

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On 10/11/73, Agent [redacted] Intelligence Section, Internal Revenue Service, Phoenix, Arizona, telephonically contacted the Dallas Office of the FBI and advised that on 9/28/73, ROBERT JAY MATHEWS was arrested at 2245 E. Main Street, Mesa, Arizona and charged with the false filing of a W-4 form in connection with his income tax.

In view of the fact that MATHEWS has been located within the Phoenix Division, Dallas is conducting no further investigation, UACB.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (157-29836) DATE: 10/25/73

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (157-1401) (C)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, aka
Arthur James Parker
EM - WHG

OO: PX

Re PX let to Bureau, 7/11/73 and DL let to Bureau 10/16/73.

On 10/24/73, SA [redacted] Intelligence Section, Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Phoenix, Arizona, furnished the following information regarding captioned subject:

SA [redacted] advised that IRS, Phoenix had received an anonymous telephone call on 9/28/73 indicating that MATHEWS had returned to Arizona and was temporarily residing at 2245 East Main Street, Mesa, Arizona. IRS, Phoenix established a surveillance in the neighborhood and observed MATHEWS at a nearby convenience market. He stated that MATHEWS noticed an IRS Agent near the market and MATHEWS departed in a green pickup truck, leading IRS Agents on an eight-mile chase which culminated with MATHEWS rolling the truck. MATHEWS escaped unhurt and ran into nearby bushes. MATHEWS was later located and arrested one-fourth mile from the accident. MATHEWS was charged with filing fraudulent W-4 Forms (Withholding Forms) and Bond was set at $1,500. FLOWERS stated that the following items were found in MATHEWS' overturned truck:

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Numerous topographic maps;
One sleeping Bag;
Unknown length of primer cord;
One canteen;
One 18" to 20" shotgun holster;
One machete;
One wig;
One skin colored, plastic, skull cap.

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SA [redacted] advised that during the subsequent IRS interview with MATHEWS, MATHEWS was critical of IRS, arrogant and uncooperative.

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PX-Results 10/25/73+ 7/11/73 PX closed without case action submitting a comm. stating facts subjects reported all pertinent data developed through investigation. Prompt submission of name & aliases requested, PBW 11/5/73

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CHM/rfd

MATHEWS did admit to being in California, Texas and Florida, but refused to elaborate on his travels and did not state what date he returned to Arizona.

Due to subject's demonstrated animosity toward Federal law enforcement and the pending IRS prosecution, no interview of subject to be conducted.

Based on the above, Phoenix closing case.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (157-29836) DATE: 11/28/73

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (157-1201) (C)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, aka
Arthur James Parker
EM - WHG

OO: Phoenix

RePXlet to Bu, 10/25/73.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six copies of an LHM regarding captioned subject.

A copy of this LHM is being furnished the U.S. Secret Service, Phoenix, in accordance with agreement between the FBI and Secret Service regarding Presidential protection.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

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SAs [redacted] and [redacted] conducted the interviews with [redacted] and [redacted] noted in the LHM.

Due to subject's demonstrated animosity toward Federal law enforcement and the pending Internal Revenue Service (IRS) prosecution, no interview of subject to be conducted and Phoenix closing case.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Phoenix, Arizona
November 28, 1973

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
Also Known As
Arthur James Parker
SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

Investigation of the Sons of Liberty (SOL) was based on information which indicated that the organization was engaged in activities which could involve a violation of Title 18, U.S. Code, Sections 2383 (Rebellion or Insurrection); Section 2385(b)(3), Chapter 102, 2101-2102, and Chapter 12, 231-233 (Anti-Riot Laws).

A news broadcast on July 6, 1972, on KOOL-TV, Phoenix, Arizona, a CBS affiliate, pertained to a meeting of KOOL newsmen with armed, hooded members of an organization calling themselves "Sons of Liberty". The interview was held at an unknown location on the Arizona desert on the night of July 5, 1972. During the interview with newsmen, a hooded SOL spokesman, stated the purpose of the SOL was anticommunist, anti-income tax, anti-United Nations, strong States Rights, and the express purpose of their desert meeting was to warn the left wing radicals in the United States that unless the present left wing trend in Government is stopped, there would be a second American revolution. Strong threats were directed to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

I. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

Name	Robert Jay Mathews
Alias	Arthur James Parker
Race	Caucasian
Sex	Male
Date of birth	January 16, 1953

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ROBERT JAY MATHEWS

Height	5 foot 6 inches
Weight	150 pounds
Hair	Brown
Arizona Driver's License Number	H34816
Social Security Account Number	527-04-2870

[redacted] b7

Special Agent [redacted]
IRS, Phoenix, Arizona (10/24/73)

II. RESIDENCE

Mathews is residing at 2245 East Main Street, Mesa, Arizona.

SA [redacted] IRS, b7C
Phoenix (10/24/73)

III. EMPLOYMENT

From February 1, 1972 - July 8, 1972, Mathews was employed as a guard by Continental Security, 4010 North 27th Avenue, Phoenix.

Detective [redacted] b7C
Phoenix Police Department
Phoenix, Arizona (7/20/72)

On July 19, 1972, Mathews was hired by Apache Security, 8027 East Roosevelt, Scottsdale, Arizona.

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Detective [redacted] Supra
(8/2/72)

On August 8, 1972, Mathews terminated his employment with Apache Security and went "underground" because of his involvement in the anti-IRS movement and the resulting pressure from IRS. b7C

Detective [redacted], Supra (8/8/72)

Mathews is currently unemployed. b7C

SA [redacted] IRS, Supra (11/14/73)

IV. ACTIVITIES

A. Background

On [redacted], information was obtained the Sons of Liberty (SOL) was a local neophyte group under the leadership of Robert Jay Mathews. b2 b7D

[redacted]

Goals of the SOL as per the KOOL-TV news broadcast, audio tape of a "commander" who was allegedly not present are: "Our purpose is to preserve the constitution. We are not advocating the violent overthrow of our constitutional form of Government, we are advocating the preservation of it."

KOOL-TV, CBS, Phoenix (7/6/72)

Also during the desert interview by KOOL-TV news, but edited from the actual news broadcast, a hooded SOL representative made various warnings against the "enemies of the constitution". Included in the warning were Nazis, fascists, socialists, communists, Black Panthers, Students For a Democratic Society, International Bankers, Council of Foreign Relations, and the Federal bureaucracy. The hooded

speaker stated "Specifically in the Federal bureaucracy we are warning the Internal Revenue Service for they represent more than any other Bureau, the bold and arrogant attacks that have been taking place upon the constitution by the Federal bureaucracy."

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SA [redacted] Supra
(7/6/72)

On July 6, 1972, information was obtained that the warning directed to IRS may have been the primary objective of the SOL as IRS was in the process of prosecuting members of an anti-IRS group in Mesa, Arizona.

SA [redacted] Supra b7C
(7/6/72)

The voice of the SOL "commander" on the KOOL news broadcast on July 6, 1972, was identified as that of Robert Jay Mathews.

Detective [redacted] b7C
Phoenix Police Department
(7/20/72)

SA [redacted] Supra b7C
(10/3/72)

On December 20, 1972, one Gregory Lynn Thorpe, age 22, of Phoenix, Arizona, shot and killed his wife, Margaret Thorpe, age 18, two friends Alan Sherman Bremer, age 20, and his wife, Willa Bremer, age 19, and then Thorpe took his own life. The shooting had been the result of a family quarrel.

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Detective [redacted] Homicide
Phoenix Police Department
(12/20/72)

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS

Information was obtained that Robert Jay Mathews had been associated with Thorpe and Bremer, meeting them at Arizona State University (ASU), Tempe, Arizona. Mathews and Thorpe frequented the desert to practice "guerrilla warfare" in the spring of 1972, and it was believed, but not substantiated, that Thorpe and Bremer were participants with the SOL in the desert interview of July 5, 1972. b7C

SA [redacted]
Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms
(ATF), Phoenix (3/8/73)

Two associates of Mathews, [redacted] and [redacted] were interviewed by Special Agents of the FBI on March 16 and March 19, 1973, respectively. Both denied being members of the SOL or participating in the desert newscast on July 5, 1972; however, both stated they had been politically active with Mathews in the past. b7C [redacted] described Mathews as being "overzealous in his patriotism" and he [redacted] discouraged Mathews from stockpiling weapons. [redacted] also noted that "The SOL was primarily a paper organization". Both [redacted] and [redacted] stated they had not seen Mathews for months.

On March 20, 1973, information was obtained that Mr. [redacted] John Mathews, Tempe, Arizona, [redacted] advised an IRS Agents that Mathews was living in Texas, working on a ranch, and they believed that Mathews had lost his political enthusiasm, especially since the death of Thorpe and Bremer, and that he was "straightening out". b7C [redacted] aware that IRS was conducting an investigation concerning a tax violation of Mathews, and they would not furnish Mathews' current address, feeling that IRS pressure at this time would jeopardize his "rehabilitation".

SA [redacted] IRS
(3/20/73)

B. Activities Conducted Under the Name Arthur James Parker

On December 27, 1972, the Office of the Maricopa County Attorney received a letter entitled "Sons of Liberty" which made specific reference to the SOL's position in regard to racism and anti-Semitism stating "Let it be known that the Sons of Liberty is not a racist, neo-Nazi, or anti-Semitic organization". The letter appeared to be a clarification of the SOL position, as the desert conference of July 5, 1972, included threats against the Black Panthers and Brown Berets. The letter was signed "Arthur James Parker, Arizona Sons of Liberty".

In an interview on March 16, 1973, [redacted] advised FBI Agents that it was his opinion "Arthur James Parker" was a pen name of his past associate, Robert Jay Mathews. b7c

C. Recent Activities

On June 11, 1973, information was obtained that Robert Jay Mathews was working at a ranch near Dallas, Texas, exact location unknown. Prior to traveling to Texas, Mathews traveled to California where he met with a right wing extremist group [redacted] known as the "Church of Jesus Christ Ministry". It was believed that Mathews received instructions from the above group to travel to the ranch near Dallas, which ranch is owned by or associated with the [redacted] group. b7c

SA [redacted] ATF, Phoenix (6/11/73)

D. Arrest of Mathews by IRS

SA [redacted] IRS, Phoenix, Arizona, advised IRS, Phoenix, had received an anonymous telephone call on September 28, 1973, indicating that Mathews had returned to Arizona and was currently residing at 2245 East Main Street, b7c

Mesa, Arizona. He stated IRS, Phoenix, established a surveillance in the neighborhood and observed Mathews at a nearby convenience market. He stated Mathews noticed an IRS Agent near the market and Mathews hurriedly departed in a green pickup truck leading IRS Agents on an 8-mile chase which culminated with Mathews rolling the truck. Mathews escaped unhurt and ran into nearby bushes. Mathews was later located and arrested one-quarter mile from the accident. Mathews was charged with filing fraudulent W-4 forms (Withholding Forms) and bond was set at $1,500. b7C
SA [redacted] stated the following items were found in Mathews' overturned truck:

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One skin-colored plastic skull cap

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SA [redacted] advised during the subsequent IRS interview with Mathews, Mathews was critical of IRS, arrogant and uncooperative.

Mathews did admit to being in California, Texas, and Florida, but refused to elaborate on his travels and did not state what date he returned to Phoenix.

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SA [redacted] IRS
(10/24/73)

AS MATHEWS HAS BEEN KNOWN TO POSSESS FIREARMS IN THE PAST, THREATENED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND HAS ATTEMPTED DANGEROUS ESCAPE TO AVOID APPREHENSION, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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EX-109

SAC, Phoenix (157-1401) 1/2/74

REC-140
Director, FBI (157-29836)

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
EM - SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

RePXlet and LHM dated 11/28/73.

In view of subject's activities as set forth in referenced LHM, closing of this case by your office is premature.

Maintain this matter in a pending status. Target logical sources and informants of your office to develop information concerning subject's present contacts, activities, and associates of an extremist nature. Take prompt action to develop sources and informants in proximity to subject capable of providing information of the above type. You must be particularly alert to the receipt of information involving subject in planned or actual incidents of violence and/or other activities in possible violation of Federal statutes. You must also be most alert to the receipt of information indicating subject has affiliated himself with the Identity Group organization located in Los Angeles, California.

Submit results of your continuing investigation in this matter, which should be given priority handling, in form suitable for dissemination. Include in a cover communication plans of your office in the future handling of this matter as well as steps taken to that time to obtain additional source and informant coverage of subject.

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NOTE:

Subject is a 21-year-old white resident of Mesa, Arizona. Investigation by the Phoenix Division has involved subject in activities of an organization known as "Sons of Liberty (SOL)," which is violently anti-left wing and which has

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threatened violence against the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Other groups which have been the target of warnings by the SOL organization include the Black Panther Party, Students for a Democratic Society, Nazis, Fascists, Socialists, and communists. Subject reportedly was involved in the practice of guerrilla warfare in the Spring of 1972, and in late 1973, the IRS, Phoenix, Arizona, reported information to our Phoenix Office concerning subject's possession of topographical maps, a length of primer cord, a shotgun holster, machete, and materials for use in disguising one's appearance. Additional investigation of this matter is clearly warranted, particularly in light of information developed by Phoenix in 6/73, indicating subject had traveled to an area near Dallas, Texas, where he met with the leader of the white-hate Identity Group.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (157-29836) DATE: 3/11/74

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (157-1401) (P)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, aka
EM - SOL
OO: Phoenix

RePXlet and LHM, 11/28/73 and Bulet to PX, 1/2/74.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six (6) copies of LHM regarding captioned subject.

A copy of this LHM is being furnished U.S. Secret Service, Phoenix, in accordance with agreement between FBI and Secret Service regarding Presidential protection.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 4-6-00 BY 60267 NKS/RTC #913734

INFORMANTS:

Identity of Source	File Location
[redacted] is well-placed source	157-1401-20,23,24
[redacted] is [redacted]	157-1401-25,26

ADMINISTRATIVE:

The LHM is worded to protect [redacted] The unknown individual noted in LHM is identical to source.

LHM is being classified "Confidential" to protect [redacted]

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EX-111

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LEADS

PHOENIX DIVISION

AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA

Will continue to target source to develop information regarding activities and associates of subject and will furnish same to Bureau.

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[redacted] is SA [redacted] Internal Revenue Service, Phoenix, Arizona.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Phoenix, Arizona
March 11, 1974

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

I. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

Name	Robert Jay Mathews
Alias	Arthur James Parker
Race	Caucasian
Sex	Male
Date of birth	January 16, 1953
Height	5 feet 6 inches
Weight	150 pounds
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Social Security Account Number	527-04-2870
Residence	2401 East Southern, Tempe, Arizona

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[redacted] (10/24/73) b2

II. EMPLOYMENT

Subject is currently employed by American Airlines at Sky Harbor International Airport, assigned to a ground crew. Mathews also makes chess pieces for sale at his residence.

[redacted] (2/12/74)
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Sources whose identities are concealed herein have furnished reliable information in the past except where otherwise noted.

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III. RESULTS OF INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (IRS) PROSECUTION

On January 15, 1974, Mathews entered a plea of guilty to Title 26, Section 7205, before U.S. Magistrate Richard C. Gormley at Phoenix, Arizona. Mathews was sentenced to six months probation and is not restricted in his travel or associates, and is not required to regularly report to a probation officer.

[redacted] (1/18/74) b2

IV. RECENT ACTIVITIES

On February 12, 1974, information was obtained that Mathews is currently associated with a local tax protest group in the Phoenix area. This group meets weekly at 7:30 p.m. at the Country Village Inn, 2425 South 24th Street, Phoenix, Arizona. The meetings are open to the public and are intended to instruct people to refuse to pay income tax. Mathews acts as a sergeant at arms for the group, arriving early to unlock the conference room, set up the American flag, and pay the rent. During the meetings, Mathews sits in the rear of the room and does not take part in the discussions.

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ROBERT JAY MATHEWS

AS MATHEWS HAS BEEN KNOWN TO POSSESS FIREARMS IN THE PAST, THREATENED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, AND HAS ATTEMPTED DANGEROUS ESCAPE TO AVOID APPREHENSION, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (157-29836) DATE: 11/8/74

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (157-1401) (P)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
EM - SOL

OO: Phoenix

RePXlet to Bu, 7/8/74.

Enclosed for the Bureau are seven (7) copies of an LHM regarding captioned subject, one copy being designated for Bufile 157-27903 (SOL).

Enclosed for Salt Lake City are two copies of above LHM, two photographs of subject and one copy each of Phoenix LHMs dated 11/28/73 and 3/11/74, for background information.

A copy of this LHM is being furnished U.S. Secret Service, Phoenix, in accordance with agreement by the FBI and Secret Service, regarding Presidential protection.

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For information of Salt Lake City, subject was possibly associated with the Identity Group [redacted]

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Through appropriate extremist sources, attempt to determine residence and activities of subject and if subject has possibly been associated with [redacted] any persons affiliated with the Identity Group.

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PHOENIX DIVISION

AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA

Will attempt to develop further information concerning MATHEWS' whereabouts.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Phoenix, Arizona
November 8, 1974

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

I. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

Robert Jay Mathews, also known as Arthur James Parker, is a Caucasian male, born January 16, 1953, weighs 150 pounds, is 5 feet 6 inches tall, has brown hair and brown eyes.

Arizona Department of Transportation, Driver's License Records (11/1/74)

II. EMPLOYMENT

On [redacted], information was obtained that Mathews quit working at Sky Harbor Airport, Phoenix, on March 30, 1974, and was working full-time for Mesa Investigation Service, Mesa, Arizona. It was unknown what Mathews' job duties were, as he was not licensed with the State of Arizona as a private detective; however, Mathews did work for the company at night prior to becoming a full-time employee and it was possible that he was being used in a surveillance capacity.

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Sources whose identities are concealed herein have furnished reliable information in the past.

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ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

On September 6, 1974, information was obtained that Mathews was employed by Magma Copper Company, Superior, Arizona, on April 17, 1974, and terminated his employment on July 26, 1974.

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SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

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ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

V. WEAPONS - EXPLOSIVES

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On September 6, 1974, information was obtained that while Mathews was employed at the Magma Copper Company, Superior, Arizona, Mathews worked in the mail room and had no access to explosives materials.

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On October 10, 1974, information was obtained that on April 8, 1974, Mathews purchased a Browning 9 millimeter semiautomatic pistol, serial number 74C00114, and a Smith and Wesson 12 gauge shotgun, serial number 68220 from Bangs Gun Shop, 521 East Broadway, Mesa, Arizona.

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VI. CURRENT WHEREABOUTS

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On September 6, 1974, information was furnished that MATHEWS had moved to Salt Lake City, Utah, and had left no forwarding address.

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ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
SONS OF LIBERTY (SOL)

On October 23, 1974, information was obtained that Mathews knows [redacted] through the TRC, and might have contacted [redacted] upon his arrival in Salt Lake City. 67C

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APPENDIX

SONS OF LIBERTY

The Sons of Liberty (SOL) is a paramilitary group organized in July, 1972, by Robert Jay Mathews, Tempe, Arizona. The group, which is confined to Central Arizona, met with KOOL-TV, Phoenix, Arizona, a CBS affiliate, in the desert near Phoenix on the night of July 5, 1972. The members of the group were armed and wearing hoods, and a hooded spokesman, later identified as Mathews, stated that the purpose of the SOL was anticommunist, anti-income tax, anti- United Nations, and strong States Rights and that the expressed purpose of their desert news conference was to warn the left wing radicals in the United States that unless the tide of Federal bureaucracy and communism is turned, there would be a second American Revolution.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (157-29836) DATE: 12/30/74

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (157-1401) (P)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
EM - SOL
OO: Phoenix

RePXlet and LHM, 11/8/74.

Enclosed for Seattle are two copies each of referenced letter and LHM.

On 12/26/74, SAs [redacted] and [redacted] interviewed [redacted] JOHN MATHEWS, 2401 West Southern Avenue, Tempe, Arizona. Initially, [redacted] was hesitant to furnish any information concerning [redacted] captioned subject. Mr. MATHEWS later explained that their son was attempting to completely disassociate himself from his past friends and activities, and thus, they were being extremely careful in furnishing any information concerning his whereabouts, as some of his friends, in particular, [redacted] were attempting to locate him. Mr. MATHEWS stated that subject recently purchased six acres in Oreille County, Washington, and is living in the vicinity of Metaline and Metaline Falls, Washington. He advised that his son was working in a mine in the vicinity, and was intending on farming the six acres and building a cabin on the property. He said his son became disenchanted with the "patriotic" organizations to which he belonged, and decided to attempt to become selfsufficient and worry about himself for a change instead of others. Mr. MATHEWS said that he also purchased six acres next to his son, and intended on moving there after his retirement.

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For additional background, Mr. MATHEWS stated [redacted]

He said that when subject becomes involved in a project or organization, he becomes totally involved and

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extremely enthusiastic and that in relation to his political activity, he had also shown characteristics of paranoia. Mr. MATHEWS said that [redacted] (supra) has been repeatedly attempting to locate subject through them. He stated that when subject departed Phoenix, he left strict instructions that [redacted] was never to be given his new address or information as to the locality where subject was residing. Mr. MATHEWS stated his son believed [redacted] to be extremely dangerous and wanted no further contact whatsoever with him.

Mr. MATHEWS requested that based on the above, and primarily his son's effort to straighten himself out, he desired that the FBI not contact his son in Washington. However, he stated that he would contact his son and advise him that Agents of the FBI would like to interview him concerning his knowledge of [redacted] and extremist associates in Arizona. He also stated that he would furnish subject the name of SA [redacted] and the telephone number of the Phoenix Division.

Based on the above, Salt Lake City discontinue efforts to locate MATHEWS.

The above information is furnished the Seattle Division in order that they might be aware of subject's presence in their Division and background. Based on the father's request, Phoenix not setting out leads for Seattle to locate and interview subject.

[redacted] Phoenix will continue liaison with [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (157-29836)

DATE: 5/2/75

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (157-1401) (P)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
EM - SOL
OO: Phoenix

RePXlet, 12/30/74.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six (6) copies of an LHM regarding captioned subject, one copy being designated for Bufile 157-27903 (SONS OF LIBERTY). Enclosed for Seattle are two copies of the above LHM, two copies of Phoenix LHM of 11/28/73 for background and two photographs of subject.

A copy of this LHM is being furnished Secret Service, Phoenix, in accordance with agreement by the FBI and Secret Service regarding Presidential protection.

Agents conducting interview of Mr. [redacted] MATHEWS on 12/26/74 were SAs [redacted] and [redacted] Agent conducting interview of [redacted] on 2/4/75 and maintaining liaison with [redacted] is SA [redacted]

Subject has not been known to be active in extremist matters during the past eight months; however, based on subject's background and propensity to gravitate toward violent right wing groups, it is recommended that subject be located and discreet inquiry made to determine if subject has become involved in extremist activities in the vicinity of Oreille County, Washington. Based on information contained in the LHM, it is felt that attempts to interview subject would be unproductive and not in the best interest of the Bureau at this time.

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AT METALINE AND METALINE FALLS, WASHINGTON

Attempt to locate subject and conduct discreet inquiry to determine if subject involved in extremist activities.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Phoenix, Arizona
May 2, 1975

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
EXTREMIST MATTERS -
SONS OF LIBERTY

On December 26, 1974, Mr. [redacted] John Mathews, 2401 West Southern Avenue, Tempe, Arizona, were interviewed by Special Agents of the FBI concerning their son, Robert Jay Mathews, formerly associated with the Sons of Liberty (SOL) (See Appendix) in Arizona. Mr. Mathews advised that Robert Jay Mathews had moved to Oreille County, Washington, where he had purchased six acres of land in the vicinity of Metaline and Metaline Falls, Washington. He stated his son was attempting to completely disassociate himself from his past friends and activities. He advised his son was working in a mine in the vicinity and was intending on farming the six acres and building a cabin on the property. He said his son had become disenchanted with the "patriotic" organizations to which he belonged and had decided to attempt to become self-sufficient and worry about himself rather than others. b7C

Mr. Mathews noted he had also purchased six acres adjacent to the land owned by his son. Mr. Mathews noted that he [redacted] had been extremely cautious concerning the whereabouts of their son as past associates were attempting to locate him and their son left implicit instructions that no one was to know his whereabouts as he did not wish to be bothered by his former associates. Mr. Mathews also advised that when his son becomes involved in a project or organization, he becomes totally involved and extremely enthusiastic. He noted that this enthusiasm in relation to his political activities had made his son nervous and his son had demonstrated characteristics of paranoia. b7C

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Mr. Mathews stated he would contact his son in Washington and advise him that Agents of the FBI would like to interview him concerning his knowledge of right wing extremists in Arizona. He also stated that should his son not wish to be interviewed personally, he would furnish his son the telephone number of the Phoenix Division of the FBI.

Liaison was maintained between the Phoenix Division of the FBI with Mr. [redacted] Mathews, and on February 4, 1975, [redacted] was reinterviewed. [redacted] advised that [redacted] had been in contact with [redacted] Robert Jay Mathews, and that he had stated he was totally involved in his work at Washington, State, did not want to be involved in any extremist activities, and did not want to talk to any Federal Agents. Robert Jay Mathews further told [redacted] that he would not call any office of the FBI and that if he was personally approached by Agents of the FBI, he would furnish no information concerning his past activities or associates even though he did not particularly like his past associates. 67C

On April 24, 1975, [redacted] advised that there had been no change in Robert Jay Mathew's attitude regarding cooperation with law enforcement. [redacted] declined to furnish [redacted] address in Washington [redacted] felt that any contact by law enforcement would possibly be detrimental to [redacted] self-rehabilitation. 67C

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CONCORD II, EM, OO: PX. PXFILE 157-2221, BUFILE 157-33253, SEFILE 157-2421, SUFILE 157-659.

RE PHOENIX LETTER TO BUREAU, MAY 2, 1975, AND PHOENIX TEL TO BUREAU, JUNE 26, 1975.

ON JUNE 27, 1975, [redacted] PEND OREILLE MINES, METALINE FALLS, WASHINGTON, ADVISED ROBERT JAY MATTHEWS BEGAN EMPLOYMENT JULY 19, 1974, AND PRESENTLY EMPLOYED AS AN ELECTICIANS HELPER. HIS [redacted] MINE RECORDS SHOW HIS POB AS MARTHA, TEXAS, SSAN 527-04-2770, DOB JANUARY 16, 1953. HE PRESENTLY LIVES AT THE PARKER HOTEL, METALINE FALLS, AND OWNS SIX ACRES LAND, 3.1 MILES NORTH OF U.S. HIGHWAY 31 ON BOUNDARY DAM ROAD. HE HAS INDICATED HE INTENDS TO START A BEE FARM.

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[redacted] PEND OREILLE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, NEWPORT, WASHINGTON, ADVISED JUNE 27, 1975, NO INDICATION OF ANY EXTREMIST ACTIVITIES IN PEND OREILLE COUNTY. RUC.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (157-29836) DATE: 9/5/75

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (157-2384) (C)

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
EM-SOL
OO: SEATTLE

Re Phoenix FD-123 to Bureau, dated 8/5/75 and Phoenix teletype to the Bureau, dated 8/13/75.

Investigation at Metaline Falls, Washington reveals MATHEWS living at Parker Hotel and employed by Pend Oreille Mines as an Electricians Helper.

On 8/19/75, [redacted] Pend Oreille Mines, Metaline Falls, advised MATHEWS, date of birth 1/16/53, has been employed at Pend Oreille Mines since July, 1974.

On 8/19/75, MATHEWS was interviewed in connection with an attempt to locate [redacted] an associate of MATHEWS and a subject of referenced Phoenix teletype. MATHEWS advised he has been living in Metaline Falls since early July, 1974 and went to work at Pend Oreille Mines soon after his arrival. He is not now affiliated with any extremist groups, including Sons of Liberty and Concord II. He advised he has no intention of continuing on in any extremist capacity as self-preservation is the most important thing to him now and he only wants to live on land he has purchased near Metaline Falls and take care of himself without interference from outside sources. MATHEWS advised he

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has not revealed his whereabouts to most of his former acquaintances and is infact trying to keep them from contacting him.

Numerous contacts with local law enforcement officers in the Metaline Falls and Pend Oreille County, Washington has revealed no extremist activities in the area.

MATHEWS does not qualify for Adex and this case is being closed until such time subject becomes active.

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Phoenix letter to the Bureau, 9/24/75, entitled "CONCORD II, EM."

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The investigative period extended to include information previous furnished Bureau under caption "CONCORD II, EM," Bufile: 157-33253.

Investigation in this matter is being conducted jointly with Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF), Phoenix.

A copy of this report is being furnished U.S. Attorney's Office, ATF, and U.S. Secret Service, all Phoenix, Arizona, in view of their interest in this matter.

A total of eight witnesses were subpoenaed before the Federal Grand Jury (FGJ), Phoenix, Arizona, furnishing information to the FGJ on 5/16, 5/28, 6/25, and 6/26/75, concerning the activities of Concord II.

On 6/11/75, Assistant US. Attorney (AUSA) W. RONALD JENNINGS, Phoenix, Arizona, and AUSA NEAL SHULMAN (Departmental Attorney assigned to assist in FGJ proceedings) advised that the information furnished by witnesses to the FGJ was sufficient to charge subjects with numerous charges related to violation of Title 18, Section 372, U.S. Code and two violations of Title 26, Section 5861, U.S. Code (USC).

Prior to obtaining indictments, AUSA JENNINGS requested additional investigation be conducted based on the FGJ transcripts in an effort to determine if other associates of Concord II, notably [redacted] and [redacted] were involved in the AFO conspiracy. To date, investigation and interviews have failed to indicate concrete evidence of participation in the conspiracy by any persons other than captioned subjects.

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APPENDIX

CONCORD II

Concord II (CII) is an Arizona guerrilla training group [redacted] CII favors states' rights, is strongly anticommunist, anti-income tax, anti-United Nations, anti-Semitic, and anti-Negro. [redacted] stated he would like [redacted]

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APPENDIX

MINUTEMEN

The Minutemen organization was organized in 1960, reportedly to resist the spread of communism in the United States by use of guerrilla tactics. [redacted] was sentenced in October, 1970, for violations of the Federal Firearms Act. At the time of his arrest [redacted] was in possession of documents concerned with guerrilla warfare and other paraphernalia, including hand grenades, gun silencers, and a machine gun. [redacted]

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JEWISH DEFENSE LEAGUE

The Jewish Defense League (JDL), organized in September, 1968, [redacted] and headquartered in New York, New York, is composed primarily of young Jewish-American extremists who consider themselves to be protectors of "Jewish rights" and supporters of the State of Israel in its relations with other nations of the world, particularly those in the Middle East. The JDL has chapters located in several of the larger metropolitan areas of the United States and many of its members have been trained in self-defense and the use of firearms. JDL members have engaged in numerous harassing demonstrations throughout the United States while attempting to dramatize the conditions of Jews in the Soviet Union and in Arab nations. Many of its militant members and sympathizers, while combatting what they believe to be anti-Semitism, have engaged in acts of terrorism resulting in violence and the impairment of diplomatic relations between the United States and certain other nations of the world. [redacted] has publicly proclaimed on several occasions that violence is necessary at times to accomplish the objectives of JDL.

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Source mentioned in predication is former [redacted]. First source in background information is former [redacted]. Second source in background information is former [redacted] and third source in background information is [redacted]

Source reporting information on [redacted] and [redacted] is [redacted]. Source reporting information [redacted] is former [redacted] and source reporting information [redacted], is [redacted]

Source identified as U.S. Government records furnishing updated description of [redacted] 9/25/75, is the Passport Office, U.S. Department of State. Enclosed photographs also furnished by U.S. Department of State. FD-65 submitted re [redacted]

LEADS

PHOENIX DIVISION

AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA

1. Will continue to report investigation of members of Concord II and will continue efforts to verify [redacted]

2. Will report FGJ indictments expected 10/29/75, and will follow and report prosecution of subjects.

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On June 25, 1975, information was obtained from a confidential source who had furnished reliable information in the past, that [redacted] with past associate ROBERT J. MATHEWS. b7C

On June 27, 1975, [redacted] Pende Oreille Mines, Metaline Falls, Washington, advised [redacted] explained that while in Metaline Falls, [redacted] with ROBERT MATHEWS at the Park Hotel. b7C

On August 7, 1975, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that [redacted] b7C

On August 14, 1975, [redacted] U.S. Passport Office, Seattle, Washington, advised that [redacted] was issued a passport on June 25, 1975, passport number [redacted] which expires June 24, 1980. The following investigation was conducted by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] at Metaline Falls, Washington:

On August 19, 1975, ROBERT J. MATHEWS was contacted at the Park Hotel concerning the presence of [redacted] in the Metaline Falls area. MATHEWS, who was not hostile, nor arrogant whatever, but who was noticeably nervous and guarded in his statements, acknowledged that [redacted] came to Metaline Falls in early June, 1975, and worked at the [redacted] He stated [redacted] b7C

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driving the vehicle. MATHEWS stated he suspects [redacted] does not trust him and he denied that [redacted] had given him any indication of his travel plans but that MATHEWS volunteered that [redacted] is familiar with the Berkeley, California, area, but did not indicate he was going there. MATHEWS stated he does not know how much money [redacted] had nor does he know whether or not [redacted]

Regarding weapons [redacted] had, MATHEWS stated he saw a .22 rifle and a .45 caliber automatic pistol that [redacted] had. He stated [redacted] is not a close social friend of his and they became acquainted "in the movement", but he could not remember how long he has known [redacted] but indicated he had been aware of him in the Phoenix area for three or four years.

MATHEWS was asked whether anyone else from the Phoenix or Tempe, Arizona, area had visited him in Metaline Falls and he said that [redacted] still in the movement. He said other people from Arizona who have been in the movement have been to Metaline Falls, but they have drifted away from the activity.

When informed of the outstanding Federal charges against [redacted] MATHEWS stated that he was not surprised and that he thought [redacted] suspected he might be charged and that this might account for why [redacted] left Metaline Falls. MATHEWS was asked whether or not [redacted] had ever voiced any indication of going to a foreign country to which he replied [redacted] has traveled to foreign countries in the past, but he did not know now whether [redacted] had any such plans.

MATHEWS volunteered that he, MATHEWS, had been charged in Arizona with an income tax violation and voiced some irritation with the manner in which he was handled by Deputy U.S. Marshals at the time of his arrest.

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MATHEWS stated he has never belonged to Concord II and in fact, he did not indicate familiarity with the organization by that name.

When asked whether or not he would furnish information concerning [redacted] whereabouts if he receives such, MATHEWS replied that he would have to search his conscience in that the politics of [redacted] are somewhat his own but that he, MATHEWS, does not advocate violation of the law and has no particular dislike for police or law enforcement generally, just some of the laws, particularly gun control and income tax laws. MATHEWS stated that regarding his own philosophy, he has been concerned with preservation of the heritage of the nation and its constitution and the deterioration, in his opinion, thereof, and so was [redacted] but that he, MATHEWS, has had nothing to do with any organization opposing such laws in over a year and that he has taken the position that self-preservation is more important to him now; that he intends to work hard at his job, take care of himself and try to do the best he can. b7C

MATHEWS was asked if he knew of any particular dislike or hate that [redacted] had for any law enforcement officers to which MATHEWS replied that he has never heard [redacted] make any threats against law enforcement officers and in fact, it was his opinion that [redacted] has always been somewhat enamoured by uniforms. b7C

MATHEWS said that while he considers [redacted] a very well read, intelligent and astute individual, he believes some of [redacted] present attitudes stem from his childhood which, [redacted] has indicated, was not pleasant. [redacted] recounted to MATHEWS once about being in some foreign country where his father had been stationed in military service and while he did not know if [redacted] parents were separated or divorced at the time, [redacted] which he resented. MATHEWS stated that incidents such as this, he believes, had an affect on [redacted] b7C

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MATHEWS stated that while he does not wish to be bothered by further interviews because of the suspicion and speculation it might arouse in this small mining community, he did not resent being approached on this occasion and in fact the interview was terminated in a friendly and cordial atmosphere. He requested the names and phone number and address of the interviewing agents, but would not promise to notify if he receives information regarding [redacted] whereabouts, but stated he would "search his conscience" and consider it. b7C

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at [redacted] b7

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FILE DESCRIPTION

SUBJECT ROBERTJAY MATHEWS

FILE NO. 91-107176

FD-430 (Rev 8-7-81)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date: 12/27/83

To: Director, FBI

From: SAC, SEATTLE (91A-6646) (P)

Subject:
UNSUB;
CITYBANK,
INNIS ARDEN BRANCH
18840 8th Ave. N.W.
Seattle, WA
12/20/83
BR (A)
OO: SE

Attention: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION
- [X] Robbery
- [ ] Burglary
- [ ] Larceny
- [ ] Hobbs Act - Financial Institution (attach FD-430a)

Subclass: [X] 91A [ ] 91B [ ] 91C [ ] 192A

ENTRY (check one)
- [X] New case
- [ ] Change or addition - complete applicable categories only
- [ ] Deletion - remove entry, no violation

Offense location: [X] HQ City [ ] RA territory

HQ/RA code: 38 40 (see codes listed on back)

Institution victimized within 1 year prior this offense: [ ] Yes [X] No

INSTITUTION TYPE:
- [X] Commercial Bank
- [ ] Mutual Savings Bank
- [ ] Savings and Loan
- [ ] Credit Union

REGULATORY AGENCY:
- [X] FDIC
- [ ] Comptroller of the Currency
- [ ] Federal Reserve System
- [ ] Federal Home Loan Bank Board
- [ ] National Credit Union Admin.

OCCURRENCE - Indicate both Day and Time:
Day: [ ] Mon. [X] Tues. [ ] Wed. [ ] Thurs. [ ] Fri. [ ] Sat. [ ] Sun. [ ] Unknown
Time: [ ] 6-9 AM [X] 9-11 AM [ ] 11 AM - 1 PM [ ] 1-3 PM [ ] 3-6 PM [ ] 6 PM - 6 AM [ ] Unknown

SECURITY DEVICES:

Alarm System	Yes	No	Activated	Yes	No	Functioned	Yes No
Surveillance camera	Yes	No	Activated	Yes	No	Functioned	Yes No
Bait money maintained	Yes	No	Taken	Yes	No	Bait criteria met	Yes No
Bank guard	Yes	No	On duty	Yes	No	Armed	Yes No
Currency dye/gas pack	Yes	No	Taken	Yes	No	Functioned	Yes No Unknown
Bullet resistant enclosure	Yes	No					

SUBJECTS: Number known involved 1 or if unknown, check [ ] Unknown.

Race/sex - specify number each:					
1 Caucasian male	____ Negro male	____ Other male	____ Unknown male
____ Caucasian female	____ Negro female	____ Other female	____ Unknown female

LOOT TAKEN: [X] Yes [ ] No

[X] Cash	Amount	$ 25,952.00	[ ] Unknown	Cash	$
[ ] Securities	Face value	$	[ ] Unknown	Securities - Face value	$
[ ] Other property	Value	$	[ ] Unknown	Other property	$

Recovery - FBI or Local: [ ] Yes [X] No

TELLER STATION(S) INVOLVED:
- [X] Counter [X] Drive-in/Walk-up [ ] Cage [ ] ATM

Other areas -
- [X] Vault/Safe [ ] Office area [ ] Safe Deposit Vault/Area
- [ ] Night depository [ ] Armored truck/carrier [ ] Courier [ ] Other

VIOLENCE: [ ] Yes [X] No
- [ ] Shooting [ ] Assault [ ] Explosion [ ] Other

Specify number each:

	[ ] Injury	[ ] Death	[ ] Hostage
Customer			
Employee			
Employee family			
Subject			
Law Officer			
Bank Guard			
Other			

MODUS OPERANDI: [redacted]

INSTITUTION/COMMUNITY CHARACTERISTICS - Check one from each group:

Facility type:	Facility location:	Population:		
[ ] Main office	[ ] Commercial district	[ ] Under 1,000	[ ] 25 - 50,000	[X] 100,000 - 1 mil.
[X] Branch office	[ ] Shopping center	[ ] 1 - 5,000	[ ] 50 - 100,000	[ ] Over 1 mil.
[ ] Remote facility	[X] Residential/Commercial	[ ] 5 - 10,000	[ ] 100 - 250,000	
[ ] Other	[ ] Other	[ ] 10 - 25,000	[ ] 250 - 500,000	

SOLUTION: Complete only upon identification of all subjects. Complete justification for solution credit must be set forth in accompanying narrative pages.

Solution by: [ ] FBI [ ] Police [ ] Joint Total number of subjects: ____

Solution factors: [ ] Law enforcement response [ ] Extended investigation [ ] Defensive action by employee, guard, etc.

Elapsed time - violation to solution: [ ] Response [ ] Same day [ ] 1-5 days [ ] 6-30 days [ ] 1-3 mos. [ ] 3-6 mos. [ ] 6-12 mos. [ ] More than 12 mos.

Narcotics User(s) involved? [ ] Yes [ ] No Total number Users: ____

Subject(s) previously convicted in Federal or State court for BR, BB, or BL: [ ] Yes [ ] No Number prev. convicted: ____

Interjurisdictional aspect: [ ] Yes [ ] No Interstate aspect: [ ] Yes [ ] No Multiple BR, BB, or BL activity: [ ] Yes [ ] No

Informant information contributed to solution: [ ] Yes [ ] No

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- [ ] Copy of demand note enclosed.
- [ ] Surveillance/arrest photos enclosed

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U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Seattle, Washington
December 27, 1983

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
CITY BANK
Innis Arden Branch
18840 - 8th Avenue N.W.
Seattle, Washington
December 20, 1983
BANK ROBBERY

The unknown subject entered the Innis Arden Branch, City Bank, 18840 - 8th Avenue N.W., Seattle, Washington, armed with a handgun which was kept in his waistband, walked to the teller counter, and orally demanded money, also saying, "Don't touch any buttons; I don't want to hurt anybody." Subject put the money in an open white cloth bag and walked around the teller counter to the drive-up window drawer. Subject pulled open the partially opened drawer and demanded, "Come on, give me all your money." After the money was placed in subject's bag, subject ordered everyone into the vault, closed the vault door, and exited the bank warning, "I'm watching all of you."

While outside the bank, a dye pack which the teller had placed in the bag exploded. No portion of the money was recovered.

The unknown subject is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	Late 20's or early 30's
Height	5'8" - 5'10"
Weight	160 lbs.
Build	Stocky
Hair	Dark brown, medium length
Complexion	Reddish
Eyes	Brown
Characteristics	Mustache, slight hairy chest, hairy arms

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ENCLOSURE

FBI/DOJ

RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
CITY BANK
December 20, 1983

Clothing	Blue knit cap (with tassel), faded blue jeans, blue and red plaid flanned shirt (long-sleeved), Navy blue quilted ski vest.
Weapon	Possibly .38 caliber revolver, wooden handle grips, kept in waistband at all times
Peculiarities	Very nervous, stated "I got a sick baby, nobody cares," knowledge of bank security system button.

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TRANSMIT VIA:
- ☐ Teletype
- ☐ Facsimile
- ☒ AIRTEL

PRECEDENCE:
- ☐ Immediate
- ☐ Priority
- ☐ Routine

CLASSIFICATION:
- ☐ TOP SECRET
- ☐ SECRET
- ☐ CONFIDENTIAL
- ☐ UNCLAS E F T O
- ☐ UNCLAS

Date 2/16/84

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (91-107176)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (91A-6646) (P)

UNSUB;
CITY BANK
INNIS ARDEN BRANCH
18840 - 8TH AVENUE NW
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
DECEMBER 20, 1983
BR
OO: SEATTLE

For information of all receiving offices, enclosed is an LHM describing the above captioned bank robbery. Receiving offices are requested to check bank robbery files for any similar MO's, or description of unknown subject. No bank surveillance photos or latent fingerprints are available. Forward any positive information attention Seattle Division.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

To Director FBI

From SAC, SEATTLE (91A-6646) (P)

Subject "CHANGED"
ROBERT JAY MATHEWS;
CITY BANK,
INNIS ARDEN BRANCH,
18840-8th AVENUE NORTHWEST,
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
12/20/83
BANK ROBBERY
OO: SEATTLE

Date DEC 12 1984

Attention: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION
☐ NABRA Cancellation (attach administrative details)

TYPE: ☒ Robbery ☐ Burglary ☐ Larceny ☐ Hobbs Act - Financial Institution (attach FD-430a)
Subclass: ☒ 91A ☐ 91B ☐ 91C ☐ 192A

ENTRY (check one)
☐ New case
☒ Change or addition - complete applicable categories only
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Offense location: ☒ HQ City ☐ RA territory

HQ/RA code 3840 (see codes listed on back)

Institution victimized within 1 year prior this offense: ☐ Yes ☐ No

INSTITUTION TYPE:
☐ Commercial Bank
☐ Mutual Savings Bank
☐ Savings and Loan
☐ Credit Union

REGULATORY AGENCY:
☐ FDIC
☐ Comptroller of the Currency
☐ Federal Reserve System
☐ Federal Home Loan Bank Board
☐ National Credit Union Admin.

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Time: ☐ 6-9 AM ☐ 9-11 AM ☐ 11 AM - 1 PM ☐ 1-3 PM ☐ 3-6 PM ☐ 6 PM - 6 AM ☐ Unknown

SECURITY DEVICES:

Alarm System	Yes	No	Activated	Yes	No	Functioned	Yes No
Surveillance camera	Yes	No	Activated	Yes	No	Functioned	Yes No
Bait money maintained	Yes	No	Taken	Yes	No	Bait criteria met	Yes No
Bank guard	Yes	No	On duty	Yes	No	Armed	Yes No
Currency dye/gas pack	Yes	No	Taken	Yes	No	Functioned	Yes No Unknown
Bullet resistant enclosure	Yes	No					

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SUBJECTS: Number known involved _____ or if unknown, check ☐ Unknown

Race/sex - specify number each:
_____ White male _____ Black male _____ Other male _____ Unknown male
_____ White female _____ Black female _____ Other female _____ Unknown female

LOOT TAKEN: ☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ Cash Amount $ _____ ☐ Unknown
☐ Securities Face value $ _____ ☐ Unknown
☐ Other property Value $ _____ ☐ Unknown

Recovery - FBI or Local: ☐ Yes ☐ No
Cash $ _____
Securities - Face value $ _____
Other property $ _____

TELLER STATION(S) INVOLVED:
☐ Counter ☐ Drive-in/Walk-up ☐ Cage ☐ ATM
Other areas -
☐ Vault/Safe ☐ Office area ☐ Safe Deposit Vault/Area
☐ Night depository ☐ Armored truck/carrier ☐ Courier ☐ Other

VIOLENCE: ☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ Shooting ☐ Assault ☐ Explosion ☐ Other
Specify number each:

	☐ Injury	☐ Death	☐ Hostage
Customer			
Employee			
Employee family			
Subject			
Law Officer			
Bank Guard			
Other			

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INSTITUTION/COMMUNITY CHARACTERISTICS - Check one from each group:

Facility type:	Facility location:	Population:		
☐ Main office	☐ Commercial district	☐ Under 1,000	☐ 25 - 50,000	☐ 500,000 - 1 mil.
☐ Branch office	☐ Shopping center	☐ 1 - 5,000	☐ 50 - 100,000	☐ Over 1 mil.
☐ Remote facility	☐ Residential/Commercial	☐ 5 - 10,000	☐ 100 -250,000	
☐ Other _____	☐ Other _____	☐ 10 - 25,000	☐ 250 -500,000	

SOLUTION: Complete only upon identification of all subjects. Complete justification for solution credit must be set forth in accompanying narrative page.

Solution by: ☒ FBI ☐ Police ☐ Joint ☐ Total number of subjects: 1
Solution factors: ☐ Law Enforcement response ☒ Extended investigation ☐ Defensive action by employee, guard, etc.
Elapsed time - violation to solution: ☐ Same day ☐ 1-5 days ☐ 6-30 days ☐ 1-3 mos. ☐ 3-6 mos. ☒ 6-12 mos. ☐ More than 12 mos.
Narcotics User(s) involved: ☐ Yes ☒ No Total number Users: _____
Subject(s) previously convicted in Federal or State court for BR, BB, or BL: ☐ Yes ☒ No Number prev. convicted: _____
Interjurisdictional aspect: ☐ Yes ☒ No Interstate aspect: ☐ Yes ☒ No Multiple BR, BB, or BL activity: ☐ Yes ☒ No
Informant information contributed to solution: ● Yes ● No

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Title marked changed to identify ROBERT JAY MATHEWS as the subject in this case. Title previously carried as UNSUB; CITY BANK, INNIS ARDEN BRANCH, 18840-8th AVENUE NORTHWEST, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON; 12/20/83; BANK ROBBERY; OO: SEATTLE.

Re Seattle FD-430 dated December 20, 1983.

U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Seattle, Washington 98174
December 6, 1984

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS;
CITYBANK,
INNIS ARDEN BRANCH,
18840 - 8th AVENUE NORTHWEST,
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON;
12/20/83
BANK ROBBERY

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[redacted] was exhibited thirty black-and-white photographs of unidentified white males, and identified MATHEWS as the man who robbed her on December 20, 1983. Subject, ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, is described as follows:

Name:	ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
Aliases:	Bob Arthur James Parker Rocky Roy Lund
Race:	White
Sex:	Male
DOB:	January 16, 1953
POB:	Marfa, Texas
SSAN:	527-04-2870
Washington Driver's License Number:	MATHERJ472BW
Height:	5'7"
Weight:	150 lbs.
Eyes:	Hazel
Hair:	Brown
Address:	P.O. Box 425, Boundray Dam Road, Metaline Falls, Washington

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Date 2/19/85

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (91-107176)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (91A-6646)(C)

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS - DECEASED;
CITYBANK,
INNIS ARDEN BRANCH,
18840 8th Avenue Northwest,
Seattle, Washington
12/20/83
BR
OO: SEATTLE

Reference FD-430 to Director, dated November 6, 1984.

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS has been identified by his former asociates as having robbed captioned bank on December 20, 1983. He was also tentatively identified from a photo spread by a victim teller.

On December 8, 1984, MATHEWS was killed at Whidbey Island, Washington.

In view of the verified death of subject ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, no further investigation is being conducted and this matter is considered closed.

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SUBJECT ROBERT JAY MATHEWS

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Federal Bureau of Investigation

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To: Director, FBI
Att: Criminal Investigative Division
Fugitive Unit

Date: 12/27/84

From: SAC, PORTLAND (89B-198)

INSTRUCTIONS - Reverse Side
NOTE: Priority "A" and "B" Fugitives - With initial submission, set forth a synopsis of crime on reverse side.

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Subject: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS
FUGITIVE (A);
SA [redacted] - VICTIM;
SA [redacted] - VICTIM
AFO; HARBORING
(OO: Portland)

- ☐ III Inquiry
- ☒ Initial Submission
- ☐ Initial Submission - Parental Kidnaping
- ☐ Supplements FD-65 dated _____

Indicate Fugitive Priority
- ☐ A
- ☒ B
- ☐ C
- ☐ D (Parental Kidnaping)

FUGITIVE INDEX

Caution MKE	Name NAM	Sex SEX	Race RAC
☒	ROBERT JAY MATHEWS	M	CAU

Place of Birth POB	Birth Date DOB	Height HGT	Weight WGT
Marfa, Texas	1/16/53	5'7"	150 #

Eye Color EYE	Hair Color HAI	FBI No. FBI	Skin Tone SKN
Hazel	Brown		

Scars, Marks, Tattoos, and Other Characteristics SMT
crippled right hand

NCIC Fingerprint Classification FPC	Other Identifying Number MNU	Social Security # SOC
		527-04-2870

Operator's License Number OLN	Operator's License State OLS	Year Expires OLY
MATHERJ472BW	Washington	1986

Offense Charged OFF Assault on a Federal Officer, Harboring of Fugitive
U. S. Code, Title and Section Title 18, Sections 111, 1114, 1071
Warrant Issued By U.S. District Court, Oregon on 11/24/84 DOW
F.O. File # 89B-19870 OCA

Miscellaneous Including Bond Recommended (MIS)
No bond due to danger to the community.

AUTOMATED

LICENSE PLATE AND VEHICLE INFORMATION

License Plate Number LIC	State LIS	Year Expires LIY	License Plate Type LIT

Vehicle Identification # VIN	Year VYR	Make VMA	Model VMO	Style VST	Color VCO

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Additional Identifiers
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2 - Portland

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TO DIRECTOR (192-1532) (192-487419) PRIORITY

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OO: SAN FRANCISCO. PD 192B-87.

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ARYAN NATIONS, CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN, HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO; DOMESTIC SECURITY - TERRORISM; CO: BUTTE. PD 100A-15051

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS; SA [redacted] - VICTIM; SSA [redacted] - VICTIM; AFO - HARBORING; OO: PORTLAND. PD 89B-198.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO PORTLAND DATED JANUARY 17, 1985.

PORTLAND IS IN RECEIPT OF THE AUGUST 2, 1984, TELETYPE FROM BUTTE TO PORTLAND. THE TELETYPE WAS RECEIVED BY A RECORDS CLERK, [redacted] AND ROUTED TO SUPERVISOR [redacted] AND CASE AGENT [redacted] WHO RECENTLY RETIRED. THIS COMMUNICATION WAS NOT DISSEMINATED TO AGENCIES OR PERSONNEL OUTSIDE THE FBI BY PORTLAND.

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ARYAN NATIONS, CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN, HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO; DOMESTIC SECURITY - TERRORISM; OO: BUTTE. FD 100A-15051 b7C

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS; SA [redacted] - VICTIM;

SSA [redacted] - VICTIM; AFO - HARBORING; OO: PORTLAND. FD 89B-198.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JANUARY 5, 1985; RE PORTLAND TELEPHONE CALL TO BIRMINGHAM DIVISION, JANUARY 10, 1985; RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JANUARY 11, 1985.

FOR INFORMATION BUTTE DIVISION, ON JANUARY 7, 1985, SA [redacted] U.S. SECRET SERVICE, PORTLAND, ADVISED HE WAS THE CASE AGENT RE COUNTERFEITING BEING CONDUCTED BY THE [redacted] ADVISED THAT DURING THIS INVESTIGATION, [redacted] AND [redacted] WERE IDENTIFIED AS b7C BEING WITH THE [redacted] AND SOME INFORMATION

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THAT [redacted] WAS AWARE OF ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN THE BRINK ROBBERY, AND SHE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THIS WOULD BE THE IDENTITY OF THE INSIDE MAN IN THIS ROBBERY.

PORTLAND DIVISION IS CONTINUING AN EXTENSIVE INVESTIGATION WITHIN THE SOUTHERN OREGON AREA, IN AN ATTEMPT TO LOCATE SUBJECTS [redacted] AND [redacted] WHO ARE BELIEVED TO BE IN A LARGE CELL IN THAT AREA.

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PORTLAND DIVISION HAS ALSO RECEIVED TELEPHONE COMPANY RECORDS ON THE THREE PAY TELEPHONES LOCATED IN AND AROUND THE RESIDENCE OCCUPIED BY ROBERT MATHEWS, ON MT. HOOD, OREGON, IN NOVEMBER OF 1984. FROM A REVIEW OF THESE RECORDS, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT ON NOVEMBER 24, 1984, THE DAY MATHEWS WOUNDED SA [redacted] IN A GUN FIGHT AT PORTLAND, OREGON. NINE LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE CALLS WERE PLACED FROM THESE PAY PHONES. IT IS UNKNOWN BY PORTLAND DIVISION, IF ANY OF THESE TELEPHONE CALLS WERE PLACED BY ANY OF THE SUBJECTS IN THIS MATTER, HOWEVER, LEADS ARE BEING SET FORTH TO IDENTIFY SUBSCRIBERS TO THESE NUMBERS IN AN ATTEMPT TO LOCATE OTHER SAFE HOUSES FOR THE SUBJECTS.

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BIRMINGHAM AT BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA. ADVISE INTERESTED

OFFICES OF RESULTS OF INTERVIEWS WITH [redacted] AND [redacted] AND b7C
ANY INFORMATION THAT THEY GAVE, WHICH WOULD ASSIST IN LOCATING
ANY OTHER FUGITIVES IN THIS INVESTIGATION.

DENVER AT DENVER, COLORADO. PROVIDE PORTLAND WITH A
SYNOPSIS OF THE BERG HOMICIDE, WHICH WOULD ASSIST PORTLAND
IN ITS INTERVIEW OF SUBJECT [redacted] b7C

ASCERTAIN SUBSCRIBER INFORMATION REGARDING TELEPHONE
NUMBER [redacted] WHICH WAS CALLED AT 9:17 A.M., AND
TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] WHICH WAS CALLED AT 9:24 A.M., b7C
FROM THE PAY TELEPHONES LOCATED AT MT. HOOD, OREGON. THEREAFTER,
CONDUCT A STREET INQUIRY TO DETERMINE IF THESE INDIVIDUALS
CAN POSSIBLY BE CONNECTED TO THIS INVESTIGATION.

NEW YORK AT NEW YORK. CONDUCT SAME INVESTIGATION SET
FORTH FOR DENVER, RE TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] WHICH b7C
WAS CALLED AT 11:57 A.M., NOVEMBER 24, 1984.

SEATTLE AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON. CONDUCT SAME INVESTIGATION
SET FORTH FOR DENVER, ON FOLLOWING TELEPHONE NUMBERS, WHICH
WERE CALLED AT TIMES INDICATED ON NOVEMBER 24, 1984, FROM
THE PAY TELEPHONES AT MT. HOOD, OREGON: [redacted] b7C
CALLED AT 5:29 P.M.; [redacted] CALLED AT 5:42 P.M.;

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[redacted] CALLED AT 6:04 P.M.; [redacted] CALLED AT 6:40 P.M.; [redacted] CALLED AT 7:42 P.M.; [redacted] CALLED AT 7:58 P.M.

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ATTN: CID, DOMESTIC TERRORISM UNIT, SSA [redacted]

BRINKROB; MAJOR CASE 51, OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

ARYAN NATIONS, CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN, HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO;

DOMESTIC SECURITY/TERRORISM, OO: BUTTE.

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SEATTLE PRIORITY

ST. LOUIS ROUTINE

RE TELCALL OF KANSAS CITY SA [redacted] TO BUTTE, SA [redacted], DEC. 12, 1984. b7C

FOR INFO RECEIVING OFFICES, ON DEC. 11, 1984, AT 5:43 PM, KANSAS CITY DIVISION RECEIVED TELETYPE FROM MISSOURI STATE HIGHWAY PATROL (MSHP), POPLAR BLUFF, WHICH READ AS FOLLOWS: "TROOPER [redacted] INQUIRING IF A [redacted] WAS KILLED IN A SHOOTOUT INVOLVING AN ARMORED CAR ROBBERY IN A WESTERN STATE TODAY OR YESTERDAY. REQUEST ADVISE ARMORED CAR ROBBERIES LAST TWO DAYS IN WESTERN STATES SO THIS STATION MAY DIRECT FURTHER INQUIRIES." b7C

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ATTENTION: SSA [redacted] CID, DS/T (BUREAU)

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RE PORTLAND TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU, DECEMBER 18, 1984.

FOR INFORMATION OF RECEIVING OFFICES, ON DECEMBER 17, 1984, PORTLAND DIVISION RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT SUBJECT [redacted] UTILIZING THE NAME OF [redacted] HAD CONTACTED THE POST OFFICE AT SEASIDE, OREGON, ASKING IF ANY MAIL HAD ARRIVED FOR HIM. [redacted] AT THAT TIME WAS TOLD NO; HOWEVER, HE WAS TOLD THAT THE POST OFFICE EXPECTED ANOTHER DELIVERYOF MAIL AT THE POST OFFICE LATER ON THE AFTERNOON OF DECEMBER 17, 1984.

ON AFTERNOON OF AUGUST 17, 1984, [redacted] WAS POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED BY A BUREAU AGENT.

ON THE EVENING OF DECEMBER 17, 1984, [redacted] WAS LOCATED STAYING AT THE MIDTOWN MOTEL, SEASIDE, OREGON, AND A SUREVEILLANCE WAS SET UP AT THE MOTEL. AT APPROXIMATELY 12:24 P.M., DECEMBER 18, 1984, [redacted] WAS ARRESTED WITHOUT INCIDENT AS HE EXITED HIS MOTEL ROOM. b7C

ON DECEMBER 18, 1984, [redacted] WAS INTERVIEWED BY BUREAU AGENTS; HOWEVER, REFUSED TO FURNISH ANY INFORMATION REGARDING ANY CRIMINAL ACTIVITY WHICH HE PARTICIPATED IN OR HAD KNOWLEDGE OF. [redacted] FURNISHED VOLUNTARY CONSENT TO SEARCH HIS ROOM AND THE 1949 BLUE CHEVROLET TRUCK, IDAHO LICENSE [redacted] AS A RESULT OF THE SEARCHES VARIOUS PIECES OF FICTITIOUS IDENTIFICATION INCLUDING DRIVER'S LICENSES, BIRTH CERTIFICATS, RECEIPTS, AND A NINE MILLIMETER SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOL WERE LOCATED AND SEIZED. PORTLAND DIVISION WILL FURNISH ALL RECEIVING OFFICES XEROXED COPIES OF THIS MATERIAL. AMONG ITEMS SEIZED, SCRIBBLED ON A PIECE OF PAPER IN [redacted] ROOM WAS A TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] [redacted] WAS ALSO FOUND TO HAVE $540.00 IN TWENTY DOLLAR BILLS ON HIS PERSON AT THE TIME OF THE ARREST. b7C b7C

ON DECEMBER 19, 1984, [redacted] HAD INITIAL APPEARANCE. b7C
BEFORE U.S. MAGISTRATE, PORTLAND, OREGON, AT WHICH TIME
HE WAS APPOINTED COUNSEL AND ORDERED HELD WITHOUT BAIL UNTIL
A DETENTION HEARING CAN BE HELD. U.S. MAGISTRATE SET
DETENTION HEARING FOR DECEMBER 26, 1984, AND FURTHER SET
A REMOVAL AND PRELIMINARY HEARING FOR DECEMBER 27, 1984.

ON DECEMBER 19, 1984, AUSA ELLEN ROSENBLUM, PORTLAND,
OREGON, ADVISED THAT IN REGARDS TO THE DETENTION AND
IDENTITY HEARING SET FOR DECEMBER 26, 1984, TESTIMONY OF
SA [redacted], PORTLAND DIVISION, WOULD BE ESSENTIAL.
ROSENBLUM FURTHER ADVISED THAT IN REGARDS TO THE REMOVAL
HEARING AND POSSIBLY PRELIMINARY HEARING SCHEDULED FOR
DECEMBER 27, 1984, TESTIMONY OF SA [redacted] b7C
SEATTLE DIVISON, WOULD BE NEEDED FOR THIS HEARING. AUSA
FURHER ADVISED THAT SA [redacted] SHOULD BE IN PORTLAND,
OREGON, AFTERNOON OF DECEMBER 26, 1984, FOR PRETRIAL
CONFERENCE WITH AUSA CHARLES STUCKEY.

ON AFTERNOON OF DECEMBER 19, 1984, [redacted] b7C
[redacted], FURNISHED TO SAC,

PORTLAND, A LETTER AND ENVELOPE WHICH WAS ADDRESSED TO CONSUL GENERAL OF JAPAN, 2400 FIRST INTERSTATE BUILDING, PORTLAND, OREGON, WHICH WAS POSTMARKED PM DECEMBER 15, 1984, AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON. THIS LETTER CONTAINS CERTAIN INSIGNIA WHICH IS BELIEVED USED BY THE ARYAN NATION AND THE BODY OF THE LETTER READS AS FOLLOWS:

"WE, THE BROTHERHOOD PLEDGE THE ELIMINATION OF ALL UNDESIREABLES FROM THE GREAT STATE OF OREGONSO THAT WE CAN RETURN THE WHITE SUPREMACY TO THE NATIVE OREGONIANS.

"WE WILL STRIVE TO ELIMINATE THE BLACKS, THE JEWS, THE REDS AND THEIR ALIEN RELIGION, SO THAT THE ARYAN NATION CAN RISE AGAIN IN THIS LAND. THOSE WHO ARE WORKING TO REMOVE THESE SUBSTANDARD POLLUTANTS OF OUR RACE ARE BEHIND US, SUPPORTING US AND THEY ARE HIGH IN THE GOVERNMENT, SO WE ARE ASSURED OF SUCCESS.

"PRAISE THE LORD AND PASS THE AMMUNITION."

IT IS FURTHER NOTED THAT ON THE ORIGINAL LETTER THE WORDS, "THE WHITE SUPREMACY," IN PARAGRAPH ONE WERE UNDERLINED IN RED PENCIL.

THE ABOVE INFORMATION BEING BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF RECEIVING OFFICES SINCE IT IS NOW APPARENT THAT MEMBERS OF THE ARYAN NATIONS ARE MAKING THREATS AGAINST INDIVIDUALS OF ORIENTAL RACE.

PORTLAND DIVISION IS SUBMITTING ORIGINAL LETTER TO FBI LABORATORY.

DENVER AT DENVER, COLORADO. ASCERTAIN SUBSCRIBER TO TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] WHICH WAS WRITTEN ON PAPER RECOVERED IN THE MOTEL OCCUPIED BY [redacted] b7c

SEATTLE AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON. WILL ADVISE SA [redacted] OF HIS NEEDED APPEARANCE IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT, PORTLAND, OREGON, ON DECEMBER 26, 1984.

PORTLAND AT PORTLAND, OREGON. WILL SUBMIT LETTER RECEIVED BY CONSUL GENERAL OF JAPAN, ALONG WITH OTHER ITEMS SIEZED IN SEARCHES IN CONNECTION WITH THE ARREST OF [redacted] TO FBI LABORATORY AND IDENTIFICATION DIVISION. b7c

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Date 12/10/84

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-487406) (192-1532)
ATTN: CID, DOMESTIC TERRORISM UNIT
SSA [redacted]

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND

SUBJECT: BRINKROB;
MAJOR CASE 61
OO: SAN FRANCISCO
(PDfile 192B-87) (P)

ARYAN NATIONS
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN
HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO
DOMESTIC SECURITY/TERRORISM
OO: BUTTE
(PDfile 100-15051) (P)

ROBERT J. MATHEWS - FUGITIVE (A);
[redacted] - VICTIM;
SSA [redacted] VICTIM;
AFO - HARBORING
OO: Portland
(PDfile 89B-198) (P)

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Re Portland teletype to all offices dated 12/10/84.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six copies of a Declaration of War dated 11/25/84.

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ENCLOSURE ENCLOSURE

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6-Bureau (Enc. 6)
6-Portland
(2-192B-87)(BRINKROB)
(2-100-15051)(ARYAN NATIONS)
(2-89B-198)(ROBERT MATHEWS)

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This information is being brought to the attention of the Bureau since it is unknown by Portland Division [redacted] and other field offices may receive inquiries about it. For further information of the Bureau, ZOG referred to in the enclosed Declaration of War refers to Zionist Organized Government (ZOG) of which the FBI is one of their Agents.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The Bureau is requested to consider sending the enclosed Declaration of War to each field office.

PRINCIPLES OF WAR

AND

RULES OF ENGAGEMENT

"POLITICS", AS FRANCIS PARKER YOCKEY STATED, "IS ACTION IN RELATION TO POWER". THE ULTIMATE END OF POLITICS IS WAR. AS LONG AS NATURE AND HUMAN NATURE REMAIN THE SAME, WAR WILL REMAIN THE INEVITABEL RESULT OF PURE POLITICAL THINKING. EITHER WE WILL HAVE POWER AND CONTROL OF A GOVERNMENT BASED ON THE LAWS OF GOD, OR YOU WILL HAVE POWER.

IN OUR DAY WAR COMES ABOUT WHEN THE ATTEMPT TO CONQUER BY ECONOMIC MEANS BREAKS DOWN AND THE PEOPLE TURN ON THEIR PREDATORS AND RESIST. THIS IS THE POINT AT WHICH NORTH AMERICA NOW FINDS ITSELF. WE PERCEIVE OUR PRESENT COURSE TO BE DETERMINED BY OUR DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, WHEREIN IT IS STATED "WHENEVER ANY FORM OF GOVERNMENT BECOMES DESTRUCTIVE OF THESE ENDS, IT IS THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO ALTER OR TO ABOLISH IT, AND TO INSTITUTE NEW GOVERNMENT, LAYING ITS FOUNDATION ON SUCH PRINCIPLES AND ORGANIZING ITS POWERS IN SUCH FORM, AS TO THEM SHALL SEEM MOST LIKELY TO AFFECT THEIR SAFETY AND HAPPINESS." WE CONSIDER IT NOT ONLY OUR RIGHT, BUT OUR DUTY BEFORE ALMIGHTY GOD.

HOWEVER, THE ARYAN RACE HAS NEARLY ALWAYS WAGED WAR BY SOME CODE OF CONDUCT, WHETHER IT BE THE CODE OF CHIVALRY OR THE GENEVA CONVENTION. WE DO NOT INTEND TO BREAK WITH OUR PAST.

UNDER THE CONTROL OF ALIENS IN OUR WHITE GOVERNMENTS, THE ALLIES IN WWII WERE COERCED TO BOMB CIVILIAN TARGETS. THE EXAMPLES OF HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI WERE DEPLORABLE, AND THE EVEN WORSE FIRE-BOMBING OF DRESDEN AND HAMBURG ARE NOT CONSIDERED BY US TO BE LEGITIMATE WARFARE.

THIS WAR IS TO BE BETWEEN COMBATANTS ONLY. ANY AGENT OF THE ZIONIST OCCUPATION GOVERNMENT OF NORTH AMERICA WE CONSIDER TO BE OUR ENEMY AND THE ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE FOR WHOM WE FIGHT. LIKEWISE, ANYONE WHO TAKES IT UPON THEIRSELF TO OPPOSE US INTENTIONALLY, WILLFULLY AND ACTIVELY WE CONSIDER TO BE OUR MORTAL ENEMY.

IF THE AGENTS OF ZOG HARRASS OR INJURE OUR NON-COMBATANTS, SUCH AS WOMEN, CHILDREN, AGED OR INFIRM, WE WILL RETURN INJURY FOR INJURY.

ANY LOCAL POLICE OFFICER, STATE PATROLMEN OR OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL WHO COOPERATE WITH THE AGENTS OF ZOG AND INJURES US IN ANY WAY WILL BE REGARDED AS COMBATANTS. THOSE WHO DO NOT WILL BE REGARDED AS NON-COMBATANTS.

THE TIME OF DECISION IS COMING FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF NORTH AMERICA. YOU WILL ONE DAY SOON BE ORDERED TO FIRE ON YOUR OWN PEOPLE. IF YOU SIDE WITH THE AGENTS OF ZOG, EVEN IF THE FORM THEY TAKE IS YOUR OWN COMMANDER, AND YOU "FOLLOW ORDERS" YOU WILL BE REGARDED AS COMBATANTS. IF YOU SIDE WITH YOUR RACIAL KINSMEN YOU WILL BE REGARDED AS NON-COMBATANTS.

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ENCLOSURE 1

FILE DESCRIPTION

SUBJECT ROBERT JAY MATHEWS

FILE NO. 89-5801

VOLUME NO. THREE

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FM PORTLAND

TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

DENVER PRIORITY

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ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, AKA - FUGITIVE; SA [redacted] - VICTIM; SSA [redacted] - VICTIM; AFO; HARBORING; OO:PORTLAND; PORTLAND FILE 89B-198. P

ARYAN NATIONS, CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN, HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO; DOMESTIC SECURITY/TERRORISM; OO:BUTTE; PORTLAND FILE 100A-15051. P

PRINKRCB, MAJOR CASE 61; OO:SAN FRANCISCO; PORTLAND FILE 192-87. P

RE TELCALL BETWEEN SAC, PORTLAND, AND SAC, DENVER, NOVEMBER 27, 1984.

89-5801-7

THIS IS TO CONFIRM THAT DENVER SA [redacted] WILL REPORT TO THE PORTLAND DIVISION ON A TEMPORARY DUTY BASIS TO ASSIST IN THE FUGITIVE SEARCH FOR SUBJECT MATHEWS. FOR INFORMATION OF FBIHQ, SA [redacted] IS A PILOT IN COMMAND WHO IS FAMILIAR WITH THE AREA AROUND MT. HOOD, OREGON, WHERE THE SEARCH FOR MATHEWS IS NOW CON-

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ARMED AND EX.REMELY DANGEROUS.

PORTLAND, OREGON. DISCONNECTED IN JUNE, 1983.

[redacted] PIONEER TELEPHONE CO-OP, [redacted] (PROTECT IDENTITY), ADVISED ON JANUARY 9, 1985, NUMBER [redacted] IS A PREFIX IN THE ALSEA, OREGON, AREA, BUT THE FILES OF HIS OFFICE SHOW THIS NUMBER WAS NOT ASSIGNED FROM 1983 THROUGH 1984. b7C b7D

[redacted] TELEPHONE UTILITIES, LEBANON, OREGON (PROTECT IDENTITY), ADVISED ON JANUARY 10, 1985, NUMBER [redacted] IS A PREFIX IN THE DEPOE BAY, OREGON, AREA, BUT THE NUMBER IS NOT IN THE GROUP OF NUMBERS UTILIZED BY HIS COMPANY. b7C b7D

PORTLAND INDICES REGARDING ABOVE TELEPHONE NUMBERS NEGATIVE AND THE CODE NAMES OF "ENGINEER," "PROF," AND "PRUSSIAN II." NUMEROUS REFERENCES TO [redacted] BUT NONE IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE CODE NAME OF [redacted]."

ALL INDIVIDUALS IN THIS INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE CONSIDERED EXTREMELY DANGEROUS WITH UNLIMITED AMMUNITION AND WEAPONS AND APPROPRIATE CAUTION SHOULD BE EXERCISED IN ANY PHASE OF THE INVESTIGATION. ADDITONALLY, BE ADVISED OF POSSIBLE THREAT BY ARYAN NATION TOWARD FBI PERSONNEL. ALL OFFICES SHOULD BE

FD-515 (Rev 2-27-84)

ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT (Effective 10/1/

(Submit within 30 days from date of accomplishment)

Date 12/19/84

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE

SUBJECT: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS - DECEASED;
[redacted]
VICTIM;
AFO - HARBORING
OO: PORTLAND

Bureau File Number: 89B-234

Field Office File Number: 89-5

Squad or RA Number: [redacted]

Agent's Social Security No

☐ X if a joint operation with another Federal, State or Local LE agency **

☐ X if case involves corruption of a public official (Federal, State or Local)

Were any of the investigative assistance or techniques listed below used in connection with accomplishments being claimed? ☐ No ☒ Yes If Yes rate each used as follows

1 = Used, but did not help
2 = Helped, but only minimally
3 = Helped, substantially
4 = Absolutely essential

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1 Accig Tech Assistance	Rating [redacted]	6 ELSUR Title III	Rating [redacted]	11 Lab Div Field Support	Rating [redacted]	16 Show Money Usage	Rati
2 Aircraft Assistance		7 Hypnosis Assistance		12 Pen Registers		17 Surveil Sqd Assi	
3 Computer Assistance		8 Ident Div Assistance		13 Photographic Coverage		18 SWAT Team Action	
4 Consensual Monitoring		9 Informant Information		14 Polygraph Assistance		19 Telephone Toll Records	
5 ELSUR FISC		10 Lab Div Exams		15 Search Warrants Executed		20 Undercover Operation	
						21 Visual Invest Analysis (VIA)	

A. Preliminary Judicial Process (Number of subjects) — Complaints | Informations | Indictments

B. Arrests, Locates, Summonses & Subpoenas (No. of subjects) — Subject Priority (See Reverse): A | B | C

FBI Arrests: 1

FBI Locates:

Number of Subjects of FBI Arrests Who Physically Resisted: 1

Number of Subjects of FBI Arrests Who Were Armed: 1

Criminal Summons: _____ Subpoenas Served: _____

C. Release of Hostages or Children Located: (Number of Hostages or Children Located)

Hostages Held By Terrorists: _____ All Other Hostage Situations: _____

Missing or Kidnaped Children Located: _____

D. Recoveries, Restitutions, Court Ordered Forfeitures or Potential Economic Loss Prevented (PELP)

Property or PELP Type Code	Recoveries	Restitutions	Court Ordered Forfeitures	Potential Economic Loss Prevented
	$	$	$	$
	$	$	$	$
	$	$	$	$
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	$	$	$	$

E. Civil Matters

	Government Defendant	Government Plaintiff
Amount of Suit	$	$
Settlement or Award	$	$

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F. Final Judicial Process: Judicial District: District / State

Dates: Convictions (or Final Judicial Process) Date / Sentence Date

Subject 1 - Name: Subject's Description Code*

☐ Pretrial Diversion ☐ Dismissal ☐ Acquittal

Convictions - Enter conviction and sentence data in space at right. If more than four sections are involved, limit to the four most relevant. Do not report conviction until sentence has been pronounced.

☐ Felony ☐ Misde- ☐ Plea ☐ Trial

Conviction: Title	Section	Counts

Combined Sentence

In-Jail Term: Yrs	Mos	Suspended: Yrs	Mos	Probation: Yrs	Mos	Total Fines
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Consecutive Sentences - Add all consecutive sentences together
Concurrent Sentences - Enter longest single term. Do not add concurrent sentences togeth
If the sentence is 10 years in custody of the Atty Gen but 8 years are suspended, the In-Jail term would be 2 years

Subject 2 - Name: Subject's Description Code*

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☐ Felony ☐ Misde- ☐ Plea ☐ Trial

Conviction: Title	Section	Counts

Combined Sentence

In-Jail Term: Yrs	Mos	Suspended: Yrs	Mos	Probation: Yrs	Mos	Total Fines
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Consecutive Sentences - Add all consecutive sentences together
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If the sentence is 10 years in custody of the Atty Gen but 8 years are suspended, the In-Jail term would be 2 years

Subject 3 - Name: Subject's Description Code*

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☐ Pretrial Diversion ☐ Dismissal ☐ Acquittal

Convictions - Enter conviction and sentence data in space at right. If more than four sections are involved, limit to the four most relevant. Do not report conviction until sentence has been pronounced.

☐ Felony ☐ Misde- ☐ Plea ☐ Trial

Conviction: Title	Section	Counts

Combined Sentence

In-Jail Term: Yrs	Mos	Suspended: Yrs	Mos	Probation: Yrs	Mos	Total Fines
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Consecutive Sentences - Add all consecutive sentences together
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If the sentence is 10 years in custody of the Atty Gen but 8 years are suspended, the In-Jail term would be 2 years.

Attach additional forms if reporting final judicial process on more than three subjects, and submit a final disposition form (R-84) for each subject.

Remarks

On December 18, 1984, subject MATHEWS was located and apprehended at Whidbey Island, Washington. MATHEWS was killed in the apprehension as a result of his armed physical resistance

1 - Butte
1 - Portland

2 - Bureau
2 - Field Office Seattle (1 - 65-2955)

*See codes on reverse side. Subject description codes in Section F are required only when reporting a conviction
**In joint operations, identify the other Federal, State or Local Law Enforcement (LE) agency in the Remarks Section

NDS:lah

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Date 1/28/85

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION, FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (89B-198)(P)

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS;
SA [redacted] - VICTIM;
SSA [redacted] - VICTIM;
AFO - HARBORING
(OO: Portland)
(PD file 89B-198)

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BRINKROB;
MAJOR CASE 61;
HOBBS ACT - COMMERCIAL INSTITUTION
(OO: San Francisco)
(PD file 192B-87)

192-15

ARYAN NATIONS,
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN,
HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO;
DOMESTIC SECURITY - TERRORISM
(OO: Butte)
(PD file 100A-15051)

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89-5801-8

Enclosed for the Bureau is a letter and envelope received at the University of Oregon on 1/3/85.

(2) - Bureau (Enc. 2)
6 - Portland (2 - 89B-198)
(2 - 192B-87) (2 - 100A-15051)

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WORK SHEET (2/1/85)

PD 89B-198
PD 192B-87
PD 100A-15051

For information of the Bureau, the enclosed letter is believed associated with previous letters received at the University of Oregon and other locations in Oregon.

REQUEST OF FBIHQ

The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the typewriting with previously submitted samples.

The Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to process the enclosures for latents and compare with those individuals previously provided by Portland, Seattle, San Francisco and Butte.

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FM PORTLAND (89B-198)(100A-15751)(192B-37)(P)

TO DIRECTOR (192-1532)(100-437406) ROUTINE

BUTTE (192B-54)(100A-9595) ROUTINE

SAN FRANCISCO (INFO) ROUTINE

SEATTLE (INFO) ROUTINE

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ROBERT J. MATHEWS; SA [redacted] - VICTIM;

SSA [redacted] - VICTIM; AFO - HARBORING; OO: PORTLAND

PD 89B-198. (TITLE CONTINUED PAGE TWO)

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ARYAN NATIONS, CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN, HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO; DOMESTIC SECURITY - TERRORISM; OO: BUTTE.

PD 100A-15051.

BRINK ROB; MAJOR CASE 61; HOBBS ACT - COMMERCIAL INSTITUTION; OO: SAN FRANCISCO. PD 1929-87.

RE BUTTE TELETYPE TO BUREAU DECEMBER 28, 1984, AND JACKSON TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, WITH A COPY TO PORTLAND, JANUARY 5, 1985.

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THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY IA [redacted]

[redacted] PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, PORTLAND, OREGON (PROTECT IDENTITY), ON JANUARY 7, 1985, FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING SUBSCRIBER INFORMATION TO TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

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(503) 776-2967, WAS SUBSCRIBED TO BY MONDALE - FERRARO COMMITTEE, BAMBOO ROOM, HOLIDAY INN, 2300 CRATER LAKE HWY., MEDFORD, OREGON. DISCONNECTED IN DECEMBER, 1984.

(503) 294-5476, WAS SUBSCRIBED TO BY U.S. GOVERNMENT, 1220 SW THIRD AVE., ROOM 221, COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE,

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO. 81[illegible]-193
FBI FILE NO. 192-1632
LATENT CASE NO. C-39701

January 21, 1985

TO: SAC, Portland

RE: ROBERT J. MATHEWS; [redacted] VIOLENT
AFO - MARION, IL

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REFERENCE: Airtel 12/4/84
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Portland
SPECIMENS: Q723, hand grenade fuse
Q724, hand grenade body

No latent prints of value appear or were developed on Q723 or Q724.

The remaining items mentioned in referenced airtel are temporarily being retained in the laboratory and when these items become available, they will be examined for latent prints and the results will be furnished separately.

The results of the laboratory examinations and the disposition of Q723 and Q724 will be furnished in a separate report.

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1 - Portland (192B-57) (P)
2 - Butte (192B-54) (P)
2 - San Francisco (192B-[illegible]) (P) (SAC)
1 - Seattle (192B-[illegible]) (P)
1 - SA [redacted] Room 4251, FBI #242
1 - SA [redacted] Room 5042, FBI #233
1 - Buffalo (100-487405)
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(13)

Note: Subject Mathews no longer an active fugitive

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THIS REPORT IS FURNISHED FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

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AWARE THAT ARYAN NATION MEMBERS MAY TRY TO RETALIATE AGAINST FBI AND/OR OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS BECAUSE OF ACTION TAKEN AT WHIDBEY ISLAND, ON DECEMBER 8, 1984.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Recorded: 1-23-85 Laboratory Work Sheet pah Received: 1-7-85

To: SAC, Portland (92B-198)

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FBI FILE NO. 192-1632

LAB. NO. 41233002 S WC US

Re: ROBERT J. MATHEWS - [redacted]; No longer subject
VICTIM:
SOA [redacted]
AFO - HARBCHING

YOUR NO. LC #C-35791 b7C

Examination by: [redacted]

CO: Portland
(RE: CONTINUED BELOW)

Noted By:

Examination requested by: Portland

Reference: Airtel dated December 4, 1984

Examination requested: Explosives - Instrumental Analyses - Fingerprint

Specimens received: December 27, 1984

(RE: CONTINUED)

ARYAN NATIONS,
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN,
HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO;
DOMESTIC SECURITY/TERRORISM

CO: Butte

BRINKROB:
MAJOR CASE 61

CO: San Francisco

Specimens:

Items seized from Room 42, Capri Motel, Portland, Oregon on November 24, 1984:

Q722 Tan granular substance (Item #23)

Q723 Hand grenade fuse (Item #20)

Q724 Hand grenade body (Item #19)

1 - Portland (192B-87)(P) 1 - Seattle (192B-82)(P)
2 - Butte (192B-54)(P) 1 - Buffalo (105-487406)
2 - San Francisco (192B-180)(P)(SRO5)

Q723, Q724 recd 1/7/85 ret 1/7/85 JH

1-SA [redacted] (1951, TLW 233)
1-SA [redacted] (1940, TLW 233)

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Named Subject:

ROBERT J. MATHEWS, W/M, DOB: 1-16-53,POB: Marfa, Texas Prev. compl.

Named Suspects:

[redacted]

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Examination Completed 8:30A 1/25/8[illegible] Dictated 1/2[illegible]/85
Time Date Date

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REPORT
of the

FBI
LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

2 - [redacted]
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To: SAC, Portland (92B-198) February 4, 1985

ROBERT J. MATHEWS - (1)
FUGITIVE (A); [redacted]

VICTIM; (2)

Re: SSA [redacted]
AFO - HARBORING

FBI FILE NO. 192-1532

LAB. NO. 41229002 S WG US

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[redacted]

CO: Portland
(RE: CONTINUED BELOW)

Examination requested by: Portland

Reference: Communication dated December 4, 1984

Examination requested: Explosives - Instrumental Analyses - Fingerprint

Specimens received: December 27, 1984

(RE: CONTINUED)

ARYAN NATIONS,
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN,
HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO;
DOMESTIC SECURITY/TERRORISM

CO: Butte

BRINKROB;
MAJOR CASE 61

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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DATE 3/5/99 BY 10376-1/NCS/EP/mas

CO: San Francisco 403,698

Specimens:

Items seized from Room 42, Capri Motel, Portland, Oregon on November 24, 1984:

Q722 Tan granular substance (Item #23)

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Q723 Hand grenade fuze (Item #20)

Q724 Hand grenade body (Item #19)

Enclosures (2)
2 - Butte (192B-54)
2 - San Francisco (192B-180)
Bomb Lit#11(10)

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Result of examination:

GENERAL INFORMATION:

You advised that the submitted specimens were seized from Room 42 of the Capri Motel, Portland, Oregon, on November 24, 1984.

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Enclosed for your investigative assistance in captioned matter is one set of photographs depicting the submitted specimens.

FINGERPRINTS:

The results of the latent fingerprint examinations will be provided by a separate report.

IMPROVISED EXPLOSIVE DEVICE:

Present in the submitted specimens are the essential components of an improvised explosive device (IED) consisting of a low explosive main charge, end plug, and a military hand grenade body with fuze which had been fashioned into a hand grenade. When assembled and properly initiated with the accompanying hand grenade fuze, this IED has the capability of exploding and causing personal injury and property damage.

A description of the individual components of this IED is set forth hereafter.

MAIN CHARGE

An instrumental analyses of submitted specimen Q722 identified it as an explosive substance containing barium nitrate, potassium nitrate and nitrocellulose which is the chemical formulation of a E.C. Powder or E.C. Blank Powder.

HAND GRENADE BODY

Present in specimen Q724 is a United States Military practice hand grenade body Type-M30, blue in color. This grenade body has two threaded openings which accommodated the Q723 hand grenade fuze and the end plug, thereby providing an enclosure for the main charge explosive.

This type of hand grenade body does not normally contain explosives or a fuze, but is used in training to improve techniques in throwing and accuracy.

HAND GRENADE FUZE

Present in specimen Q723 is a United States Military hand grenade fuze, Type M10A3 bearing Lot Number "BEC LOT 91." This fuze contains a primer and a delay element which affords a delay of approximately 4 to 4.8 seconds after the safety lever is released and the primer is struck by the striker.

END PLUG

Present in specimen Q724 is a ½"-size end plug which was used to seal one end of the hand grenade body to afford confinement for the main charge explosive.

DISPOSITION OF SPECIMENS:

The submitted specimens are being returned to your office under separate cover by United Parcel Service.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

2/5/85 [redacted]

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Laboratory Work Sheet

To: SAC, Portland (89B-198)

FBI FILE NO 192-1532

LAB. NO. 50205058 S/D WT VK

YOUR NO.

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Re: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS;
SA [redacted] - VICTIM;
SSA [redacted] - VICTIM;
AFO - HARBORING

Examination by:

OO: Portland

Examination requested by: Portland

Reference: Communication dated January 28, 1985

Examination requested: Firearms - Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: February 5, 1985

Specimen:

Q996 Typewritten letter

2 - San Francisco (192B-87)
2 - Butte (100A-15051)

Q996 To [redacted] 3/5/85 FBI (Returned 4/10/85 FBI)
Q996 To [redacted] 4/12/85 FBI (Returned 5/6/85 FBI)

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DE PD

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FM PORTLAND (196D-67) (1C[illegible]-1535[illegible]) P

TO DIRECTOR (196-1532) (1[illegible]-487473) ROUTINE

BUTTE ROUTINE

DENVER ROUTINE

SACRAMENTO ROUTINE

SAN FRANCISCO ROUTINE

SEATTLE ROUTINE

BT

UNCLAS

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS (DECEASED); CA [redacted] - VICTIM; SSA [redacted] - VICTIM; AFO - HARBORING; OO: PORTLAND.

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ARYAN NATION, CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN, HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO; DOMESTIC SECURITY - TERRORISM; OO: BUTTE. FD 192A-15351 BRINK ROB; MAJOR CASE 61; HOBBS ACT - COMMERCIAL INSTITUTION; OO: SAN FRANCISCO. FD 192B-87.

RE PORTLAND TELECAL TO SACRAMENTO, FEBRUARY 1, 1985.

PER RE TELECALS, SA [redacted] PORTLAND DIVISION, AND SA [redacted] SACRAMENTO DIVISION, WILL DEBRIEF [redacted] AT SACRAMENTO, ON FEBRUARY 4, 198. SA [redacted] WILL ARRIVE SACRAMENTO, UNITED AIRLINES, FLIGHT 1217, 4:22 P.M., ON FEBRUARY 4, 1985, AND WILL ARRANGE FOR SOURCE TO BE IN SACRAMENTO, TUESDAY, A.M., FEBRUARY 5, 1985. SAS [redacted] AND [redacted] WILL INTERVIEW SOURCE REGARDING CIVIL RIGHTS VIOLATIONS AND COMMENTS MADE BY BRUDERS SCHWEIGEN MEMBERS [redacted]

FOR INFORMATION BUREAU AND BUTTE, AGENTS WOULD LIKE TO OFFER SOURCE A MONEY AMOUNT IF HE COULD PROVIDE INFORMATION WHICH LEADS DIRECTLY TO FUGITIVES [redacted] AND

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PAGE TWO PD 1920-87, PD 100A-15051 UNCLAS

[redacted] PORTLAND WILL ABIDE BY WHATEVER AMOUNT DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY BUREAU AND OFFICE OF ORIGIN, BUTTE. b7C

UACB, SA [redacted] WILL TRAVEL TO SACRAMENTO, FOR DEBRIEFING OF SOURCE WITH SACRAMENTO AGENT [redacted] b7C

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO. 89B-198
FBI FILE NO. 192-1532
LATENT CASE NO. C-35791

January 24, 1985

TO: SAC, Portland

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RE: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS;
SA [redacted] - VICTIM
SA [redacted] - VICTIM
AFO; HARBORING

REFERENCE: Telephone call 11/26/84
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Portland
SPECIMENS: Four lifts of latent prints

The specimens were obtained from items taken from a 1983 Pontiac Phoenix bearing Idaho license 1/ABE440, in Portland, Oregon, on 12/1/84.

Four latent fingerprints of value appear on the four lifts. No latent prints of value appear or were developed on the 1983 Pontiac.

MAILED 4
JAN 24 1985
FBI

The four latent fingerprints appearing on the four lifts have been identified as finger impressions of Robert Jay Mathews, born 1/16/53, in Marfa, Texas, as follows:

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Enc. (4)

1 - Portland (192B-87) (P)
2 - Butte (192B-54) (P)
2 - San Francisco (192B-180) (P) (SROS)
1 - Seattle (192B-82) (P)
1 - SA [redacted] Room 4251, TL #242
1 - SA [redacted] Room 5042, TL #233
NOTE: Subject Mathews no longer active fugitive.

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MAIL ROOM

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LWW:dd (13)

Pers. Rec. Unit

One on lift #3, taken from WCC 82
Cartridge in a Ruger Mini 14 clip
One on lift #5, taken from a live
round (LC82) in clip from cartridge
belt, taken from floorboard in
back seat
One on lift #9, taken from live round
(LC82) in clip from cartridge belt,
taken from floorboard in back seat
One on lift #10, taken from live round
(LC81) from cartridge belt, taken
from floorboard in back seat

The lifts are enclosed.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 12-6-84 sm
Received: 12-6-84

Reference No: 89B-198 89-5801
FBI File No: 192-1532 —
Latent Case No: C-35791

Answer to: SAC, Portland

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS - ~~FUGITIVE (A)~~ No longer active
SA [redacted] - VICTIM
SA [redacted] - VICTIM
AFO; HARBORING

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Date of reference communication: Portland Telephone call 11-26-84
Specimens:
4 lifts of latent prints

1-Portland (192B-87)(P)
2-Butte (192B-54)(P)
2-San Francisco (192B-180)(P)(SEOS)
1-Seattle (192B-82)(P)

Note: Specs obtained from items taken from 1983 Pontiac Phoenix bearing Idaho license 1/ABE440 in Portland, Oregon on 12/11/84

Result of examination:
Examination by: [redacted]
Evidence noted by:

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— 12/4/84 — TJC
3 lifts to photo
— 1/9/84 — TJC
1 lift to photo
— 1/10/84 — TJC
1 lat fgpt val lift #3 & #2 ROBERT JAY MATHEWS, DOB 1/16/53 in MARFA, TEXAS
1 lat fgpt val lift #5 & #2 MATHEWS
1 lat fgpt val lift #9 & #2 MATHEWS
1 lat fgpt val lift #10 & #2 MATHEWS
1983 Pontiac Phoenix paid — No latents of value.
Referenced

Examination completed 1:00 pm Time 1/10/85 Date Dictated 1/14/85 Date

1-SA [redacted] Room 4251, TL #242
1-SA [redacted] Room 5042, TL #233

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FBI/DOJ

Lift #1 ~~— WCC 82 cartridge in Ruger Mini 14 clip~~

#2 — ~~WCC 82 cartridge in Ruger Mini 14 clip~~

#3 — WCC 82 cartridge in Ruger Mini 14 clip

#4 — ~~Live round (LC 82) from clip in cart. belt~~ indicated as from floor board back seat

#5 — Live round (LC 82) ~~from~~ clip from cart. belt indicated as from floor board back seat

#6 — ~~Live round (PS 82) from clip in cart belt~~ indicated from back seat floor board

#7 — ~~Live round (FC 67) from clip in cart. belt~~ indicated as found on floor board of back seat (Pontiac)

#8 — ~~Live round from clip in cart. belt~~ indicated as found on floor board back seat

#9 — Live round ~~from~~ clip ~~from~~ cart. belt (round LC 82) indicated from back seat floor board

#10 — ~~Live round (LC 81) from cart. belt indicated from back~~ seat floor board.

Lift # 11 — ~~Five rounds (LT IM) from clip in cart case indicated as from floor board~~
back seat

Lift # 12 — ~~Hoppy scrapes found inside auto~~
Pontiac Phoenix

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

Date 11/26/84

(To be used in lieu of correspondence covering evidence submission to the L. F. P. S.)

Submitting Agency _____

Delivered by _____ Accepted By _____

To be used for telephone request

Time 12:30pm b7

Requesting Agency FBI, Portland

Requested by Portland Accepted By SA [redacted]

Examiner [redacted]

Victim Robert Jay Matthews (Deceased). FBI FILE NO. 192-1532

Offense SA [redacted] - Victim LATENT CASE NO. C-35791

Place and date SA [redacted] - Victim b7C

Suspects AFO; Harboring

Report to be directed to Soc, Portland (89B-198)

Copies to 2-Butte (192B-54)(P) 2-San Francisco (192B-180)(P)(SPOS) 1-Seattle (192B-87)
1-Portland (192B-[illegible])(P)

Evidence to be returned to Portland

Date of hearing, grand jury, trial or reason why expeditious handling is necessary _____

EVIDENCE / BRIEF FACTS

Field Processing trip

(over)

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LFPS AUTOMATED NAME SEARCH (ANS) REQUEST Master

REQUESTED BY: [redacted] UNIT NO. DATE:

LC NO. [redacted] EXT. [redacted] ROOM NO. b7C

FBI NO.

SOC. SEC. NO. SPECIAL

NAME TO BE SEARCHED:

LAST [redacted] FIRST [redacted] MIDDLE [redacted] b7C

ALIASES:

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

DATA TO BE SEARCHED:

DATE(S) OF BIRTH _____ PLACE OF BIRTH _____

ORI NO. _____

DATE OF ARREST _____ OCA NO. _____

SEX _____ OCA CITY _____

RACE _____ STATE _____

FINGERPRINT DATA: BLOCKING OUT PRIMARY/SECONDARY AND REFERENCES _____

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

RESULTS:

- ☑ IDENT (SEE BELOW)
- ☐ NON-IDENT
- ☐ EXCESSIVE RETRIEVALS
- ☐ TRY (SEE BELOW)
- ☐ MANUAL FBI NO.
- ☐ INVALID FBI NO.
- ☐ CONSOLIDATION (C)
- ☐ EXPUNGED (E)
- ☐ DECEASED (N)
- ☐ NO FGPTS. ON RECORD (P OR T)
- ☐ FBI NO. NOT ASSIGNED YET (U)
- ☐ DELETED FROM FILE (W)

IDENT/TRY DATA:

FBI NO. [redacted]

DOB [redacted]

☑ SINGLE MASTER

☐ CIRCLE STAR

PPS: YES NO ✓

HENRY CLASSIFICATION: [redacted] b7C

OTHER DATA WHICH VARIES FROM ENTERED VALUES: [redacted] POB [redacted] SSAN [redacted] b7C

ACTION TAKEN: ☐ ASSEMBLY ☑ TECH ☐ MANUAL CI (SEE BELOW)

SEARCHED BY: jab DATE SEARCHED:

MANUAL CARD INDEX: AN AUTOMATED SEARCH WAS CONDUCTED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. PLEASE SEARCH THE DATA ABOVE AND TELEPHONICALLY PROVIDE THE SPECIALIST WITH THE RESULTS. IF IDENT, SEND FOR JACKET AND/OR MASTER. RETURN THIS FORM WITH THE COMPLETED DATA BELOW TO ROOM 10935. (THIS FORM DOES NOT GET RETURNED TO THE SPECIALIST)

☐ IDENT FBI NO. _____; ☐ NON-IDENT; ☐ TRY FBI NO. _____

SEARCHED BY: DATE:

LFPS AUTOMATED NAME SEARCH (ANS) REQUEST

REQUESTED BY: [redacted] UNIT NO. 2 DATE: 1-23 63

LC NO. [redacted] EXT. [redacted] ROOM NO. 10987

FBI NO.

SOC. SEC. NO.

NAME TO BE SEARCHED:

LAST [redacted] FIRST [redacted] MIDDLE 67C

ALIASES:

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

DATA TO BE SEARCHED:

DATE(S) OF BIRTH _____ PLACE OF BIRTH _____

DATE OF ARREST _____ ORI NO. _____

SEX _____ OCA NO. _____

RACE _____ OCA CITY _____

STATE _____

FINGERPRINT DATA: BLOCKING OUT PRIMARY/SECONDARY AND REFERENCES _____

RESULTS:

- ☐ IDENT (SEE BELOW)
- ☑ NON-IDENT
- ☐ EXCESSIVE RETRIEVALS
- ☐ TRY (SEE BELOW)
- ☐ MANUAL FBI NO.
- ☐ INVALID FBI NO.
- ☐ CONSOLIDATION (C)
- ☐ EXPUNGED (E)
- ☐ DECEASED (N)
- ☐ NO FGPTS. ON RECORD (F OR T)
- ☐ FBI NO. NOT ASSIGNED YET (U)
- ☐ DELETED FROM FILE (N)

IDENT/TRY DATA:

FBI NO. _____

DOB _____

☐ SINGLE MASTER

☐ CIRCLE STAR

PPS: YES NO

ENRY CLASSIFICATION:

OTHER DATA WHICH VARIES FROM ENTERED VALUES:

ACTION TAKEN: ☐ ASSEMBLY ☐ TECH ☑ MANUAL CI (SEE BELOW)

SEARCHED BY: jab DATE SEARCHED:

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LFPS AUTOMATED NAME SEARCH (ANS) REQUEST

REQUESTED BY: [redacted] UNIT NO. 2 DATE: 1-23 b7C

LC NO. [redacted] EXT [redacted] ROOM NO. 10987

FBI NO. —

SOC. SEC. NO.

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NAME TO BE SEARCHED:

LAST [redacted] FIRST [redacted] MIDDLE [redacted]

ALIASES:

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

DATA TO BE SEARCHED:

DATE(S) OF BIRTH _____ PLACE OF BIRTH _____

DATE OF ARREST _____ ORI NO. _____

SEX _____ OCA NO. _____

RACE _____ OCA CITY _____

STATE _____

FINGERPRINT DATA: BLOCKING OUT PRIMARY/SECONDARY AND REFERENCES _____

RESULTS:

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- ☒ NON-IDENT
- ☐ EXCESSIVE RETRIEVALS
- ☐ TRY (SEE BELOW)
- ☐ MANUAL FBI NO.
- ☐ INVALID FBI NO.
- ☐ CONSOLIDATION (C)
- ☐ EDITED (E)
- ☐ DECEASED (K)
- ☐ NO FGPTS. ON RECORD (F OR T)
- ☐ FBI NO. NOT ASSIGNED YET (U)
- ☐ DELETED FROM FILE (N)

IDENT/TRY DATA:

FBI NO. _____

DOB

☐ SINGLE MASTER

☐ CIRCLE STAR

PPS: YES NO

ENTRY CLASSIFICATION:

OTHER DATA WHICH VARIES FROM ENTERED VALUES:

ACTION TAKEN: ☐ ASSEMBLY ☐ TECH ☑ MANUAL CI (SEE BELOW)

SEARCHED BY: [redacted] DATE SEARCHED:

MANUAL CARD INDEX: AN AUTOMATED SEARCH WAS CONDUCTED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. PLEASE SEARCH THE DATA ABOVE AND TELEPHONICALLY PROVIDE TH SPECIALIST WITH THE RESULTS. IF IDENT, SEND FOR JACKET ON RUSTER. RETURN THIS FORM WITH THE COMPLETED DATA BELO TO ROOM 10935. (THIS FORM DOES NOT GET RETURNED TO THE SPECIALIST)

LAB NO. [redacted] EXT. [redacted] ROOM NO. 10987

FBI NO.

SOC. SEC. NO.

NAME TO BE SEARCHED:

LAST [redacted] FIRST [redacted] MIDDLE

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ALIASES:

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

LAST FIRST MIDDLE

DATA TO BE SEARCHED:

DATE(S) OF BIRTH _____ PLACE OF BIRTH _____

DATE OF ARREST _____ ORI NO. _____

SEX _____ OCA NO. _____

RACE _____ OCA CITY _____

STATE _____

FINGERPRINT DATA: BLOCKING OUT PRIMARY/SECONDARY AND REFERENCES _____

RESULTS:
- ☑ IDENT (SEE BELOW)
- ☐ NON-IDENT
- ☐ EXCESSIVE RETRIEVALS
- ☐ TRY (SEE BELOW)
- ☐ MANUAL FBI NO.
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- ☐ FBI NO. NOT ASSIGNED YET (U)
- ☐ DELETED FROM FILE (N)

IDENT/TRY DATA:

FBI NO. [redacted]

DOB [redacted]

☑ SINGLE MASTER

☐ CIRCLE STAR

PPS: YES NO ✓

ENTRY CLASSIFICATION: [redacted] b7C

OTHER DATA WHICH VARIES FROM ENTERED VALUES: [redacted] POB [redacted] b7C

ACTION TAKEN: ☐ ASSEMBLY ☑ TECH ☐ MANUAL CI (SEE BELOW)

SEARCHED BY: [redacted] DATE SEARCHED:

MANUAL CARD INDEX: AN AUTOMATED SEARCH WAS CONDUCTED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. PLEASE SEARCH THE DATA ABOVE AND TELEPHONICALLY PROVIDE THE SPECIALIST WITH THE RESULTS. IF IDENT, SEND FOR JACKET OR MASTER. RETURN THIS FORM WITH THE COMPLETED DATA BELOW TO ROOM 10939. (THIS FORM DOES NOT GET RETURNED TO THE SPECIALIST)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO.
FBI FILE NO. 89B-198
LATENT CASE NO. ~~192-1332~~ C-35791

January 18, 1985

TO:
SAC, Portland

RE: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS;
SA [redacted] - VICTIM
SA [redacted] VICTIM
AFO; HARBORING

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REFERENCE:
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Telephone call 11-26-84
SPECIMENS: Portland

No latent prints of value appear or were developed on the miscellaneous items taken from a 1968 Ford pickup, VIN F11YRC00427, which were processed for latent prints in the Portland office on 12-1-84.

1 - Portland (192B-87) (P)
1 - Butte (192B-54) (P)
1 - San Francisco (192B-180) (P) (SROS)
1 - Seattle (192B-82) (P)
1 - SA [redacted] Room 4251, TL #242
1 - SA [redacted] Room 5042, TL #233

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NOTE: Subject Mathews no longer active fugitive.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 12-6-84 sm

Reference No: 89B-198
FBI File No: 192-[redacted]
Latent Case No: C-[redacted] 89-[redacted]

Received: 12-6-84

Answer to: SAC, Portland

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ROBERT JAY MATHEWS - ~~FUGITIVE (A)~~ No 2o gr actual
SA [redacted] VICTIM
SA [redacted] VICTIM
AFO; HARBORING

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Date of reference communication: Portland Telephone call 11/26/84
Specimens:

Result of examination:

Examination by: Walton
Evidence noted by:

1/11 Rec'd

Misc. items tested from 1968 Ford pickup, VIN F11YRC00427, processed for latents in Portland Bureau Office on 12/1/84 and no latents developed.

1 cc Portland (192B-87)P
1 cc Seattle (192B-54)P
1 cc San Francisco (192B-180)(P)(SEOS)
1 cc Seattle (192B-82)(P)
1 cc SA [redacted] Room 1251, TL #242
1 cc SA [redacted] Room 5042, TL #233

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Examination completed 1000A Time 1/14/85 Date Dictated 1/14/85 Date

FBI/DOJ

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FBI

TRANSMIT VIA:
- ☐ Teletype
- ☐ Facsimile
- ☐ AIRTEL

PRECEDENCE:
- ☐ Immediate
- ☐ Priority
- ☐ Routine

CLASSIFICATION:
- ☐ TOP SECRET
- ☐ SECRET
- ☐ CONFIDENTIAL
- ☐ UNCLAS E F T O
- ☐ UNCLAS

Date 1/9/85

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: FBI INDENTIFICATION/LABORATORY DIVISION

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (89B-198)(P)

BRINK ROB;
MAJOR CASE 61;
HOBBS ACT - COMMERCIAL INSTITUTION
(OO: San Francisco)
(PD 192B-87)
(SF 192B-180)

50109003-S-WT, VK
192-1532

41226008-S-WT, VK
192-1532

41012031-S-WT, VK
192-1532

41120004-S-WT, VK
192-1532

ARYAN NATIONS,
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CHRISTIAN,
HAYDEN LAKE, IDAHO;
DOMESTIC SECURITY - TERRORISM
(OO: Butte)
(PD 100A-15051)
(BT 100A-9595)

ROBERT JAY MATHEWS;
SA [redacted] - VICTIM;
SSA [redacted] - VICTIM;
AFO - HARBORING
(OO: Portland)
(PD 89B-198)

50118012 - S-WT

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Re Portland teletype to the Bureau, 12/19/84.

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2 - Denver (192B-110)(Enc. 4) 41128012-S-WT 192-1532
2 - Philadelphia (192B-1150)(100-56303)(Enc. 4) N/Rec'd
2 - San Francisco (192B-180)(Enc. 4) 41226008-S-WT 192-1532
2 - Sacramento (192B-142)(Enc. 4) N/Rec'd
2 - Seattle (192B-82)(100A-33198)(Enc. 4) 41005084-S-WT 192-1532
2 - Portland 50109004-S- 192-1532

Approved: _____ Transmitted _____ (Number) _____ (Time) Per _____

RDM:smk
(17)

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WORK SHEET (1/25/85)

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Rec. Unit

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PD 89B-198

Enclosed for FBIHQ is the original letter and envelope which was received by the Japanese Council, Portland, Oregon, on 12/17/84. Enclosed for each receiving office is two copies each of this letter and envelope.

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For information FBIHQ, on 12/19/84, [redacted] Council [redacted] of Japan, assigned to Portland, Oregon, furnished the enclosed letter and envelope. [redacted] advised that he was unaware of the intended meaning of the mailing of this letter but that he has been reading recent newspaper accounts describing the activities of a group of Neo-nazis within the State of Oregon, however, he was unaware if this letter or not had originated from them. [redacted] further advised that to the best of his knowledge no other consulate employees received similar type letters.

[redacted] further advised that approximately one month ago his chauffeur received an anonymous telephone call from a male individual who stated that there was a bomb planted in [redacted] office and was scheduled to go off in 32 minutes. This office was searched, however, no bomb was located. [redacted] stated that he did not know whether the bomb threat and the mailing of the enclosed letter was in any way connected, and further added that at the time he felt that the telephone call was placed by a member of the Green Power Group, which was an environmentalist group opposed to Japan's whaling industry.

[redacted] advised that this letter had been handled by himself and one other person from the consulate.

REQUEST OF FBIHQ

The FBI Identification Division is requested to process the enclosed letter and envelope for latent fingerprint impressions, and if any developed compare these against any of the known fingerprints of subjects developed in connection with above captioned investigations.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to make typewriter comparisons against any typewriters which have been seized during the course of any of the above investigations.

ALL INDIVIDUALS IN THIS INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE CONSIDERED EXTREMELY DANGEROUS WITH UNLIMITED AMMUNITION AND WEAPONS, AND APPROPRIATE CAUTION SHOULD BE EXERCISED IN ANY PHASE OF THE INVESTIGATION. ADDITIONALLY, BE ADVISED OF POSSIBLE THREAT BY ARYAN NATIONS TOWARD FBI PERSONNEL. ALL OFFICES SHOULD BE AWARE THAT ARYAN NATIONS MEMBERS MAY ATTEMPT TO RETALIATE AGAINST FBI AND/OR OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS BECAUSE OF ACTION TAKEN AT WHIDBEY ISLAND ON 12/8/84.

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OUTSIDE SOURCE

Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C. 20535

Dear Sir:

I am writing to suggest that you take action for correcting a glaring deficiency in your operations. The suggestion is to provide a public coordinator during critical exercises that endanger the lives of nearby populace. The following describes the basis for this suggestion.

The setting is the recent 7 and 8 December, 1984 shoot out and burn up of FBI fugitive Robert Mathews at 3306 Sumgglers Cove Road, Greenbank, Washington (Whidbey Island). (See attached news article.) My house is situated [redacted] the residence that was the focal point of your exercise. We are on a direct visual line-of-sight with the focal point house.

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During this surround activity, my wife was never warned or advised of endangerment until warned by her daughter-in-law by telephone at 10:30 to 11:00 AM of Friday, 7 December. This was after the use of a bull horn by FBI agents at approximately 8:00 AM telling Mathews, women and children to come out. She did not hear the bull horn because we have a relatively sound-proof house with doubled paned windows. The daughter-in-law living 7 miles away received her information that prompted the phone call from radio/TV news coverage. Our neighbor, [redacted] who heard the earlier bull horn used did call my wife shortly after the daughter-in-law call-to tell her the sheriff said she should leave, go directly to her car, not return or look around and drive out. All of this with no known protective gun cover or escort for her. She left at about 11:00 AM somewhat excited and frightened.

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Apparently about 9:00-10:00 AM it was deemed necessary to divert the Alaska ferry and other shipping apparently so that they would not be hit by any high powered weaponry. Shipping that is 2 to 4 miles away-yet [redacted] direct visual line-of-sight.

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I could go into excruciating detail on other discussions and communications but the prize one is that the sheriff's men manning the road block advised that this was only an exercise and that there was no danger for a wife left alone in the area. This statement was made to a neighbor who encountered the roadblock 30 minutes after I encountered it at 5:50 AM.

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Now, there were 3 neighbors that were closely affected. [redacted] were evacuated, warned or knowingly protected before the exercise was in full swing and dangerous. b7C

We will gladly furnish more information should you wish to get involved in corrective action. This message is not conveyed to the press and should not be. No one has my permission to publicly use my family's name regarding this matter. Although not sent to the press you can see the distribution that I have given this letter.

My impression is that the FBI and the sheriff's department operated somewhat separately. The sheriff's men onsite didn't know what was going on and appeared quite uncooperative to the public because they were initially told not to say anything. The public (my) contact with the sheriff's men was very unsatisfying, irritating and even invited exposure to danger.

Granted, that FBI lives were at stake and the concentration of the agents was tactical and not on peripheral problems such as neighbor safety. Thus the deficiency in the operation. Someone of your force should be divorced from tactical action and be charged with doing the right thing for the immediate public - unless you consider the right thing was done for [redacted] and [redacted] safety.

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cc: Island County Sheriff [redacted]
FBI Regional Director [redacted]

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SOMETHING WAS MISSING HERE !

Sheriff reveals more siege details

by Mary Kay Doody

Disclosing an estimate for the first time, Island County Sheriff Dick Medina told a group of journalists Friday that there were approximately 105 FBI agents on Whidbey Island when authorities closed in on fugitive Robert Mathews and members of his neo-Nazi group last month.

As events unfolded during the Dec. 7 standoff and Dec. 8 shootout that ended with Mathews' death in a fiery blaze in Greenbank, neither the FBI nor Medina would say how many federal agents were on the island, but estimates given at the time were upwards of 60.

Medina said Friday he didn't know how many feds were on the island until later, just as he didn't know until the next day that Mathews had put "seven bullet holes in the tree I was standing behind" during the shoot-out, before the Smugglers Cove Road cabin Mathews was hiding in went up in flames Saturday, Dec. 8.

The sheriff told a gathering of reporters, editors and publishers last week some of the things he wasn't free to disclose during the highly secret investigation that netted the first four of several suspects in a search for neo-Nazis wanted for federal crimes in various states.

He was speaking as a panelist at a regional meeting of the Washington Newspaper Publishers Association in LaConner.

As the manhunt took on massive proportions Friday Dec. 7, the secret was out, but most islanders didn't suspect a thing was going on in the days leading up to the siege.

Early that week, FBI agents started arriving on the island — from Seattle, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, and Butte, Montana.

"Monday evening we were contacted by the FBI. Two agents came out and briefed us on the federal warrants they wanted to serve," said Medina, adding that "us" meant only him, Undersheriff Stan Eelkema, administrative assistant Capt. Bob Sharp and chief criminal deputy Sgt. Ron Edwards.

Tuesday there were "aerial searches and some map-making. They had a wrong address, but we straightened that out. A realtor gave us information. We then had three homes with a possibility of a fourth," Medina said of preparations to nab Mathews and members of his arms-amassing racist group, The Order.

"By Wednesday, the FBI's SWAT (special weapons and tactics) teams were here," said Medina, explaining that the agents had arrived quietly in small groups "by both ferries, by bridge and by air to the Naval Air Station. By Wednesday night there were 105 agents here."

"I sat down with (FBI regional) director Alan Whitaker and we laid out a game plan," said Medina. "How to protect the community was my main concern."

By Friday, almost the entire sheriff's department would be involved in the joint operation, but, Medina said, the FBI was keeping such close wraps on its moves that "by Thursday, none of my people knew any of this stuff but me and (Eelkema, Sharp and Edwards)."

The county's own SWAT team, headed by Edwards, would be the most directly involved, working hand-in-glove with FBI SWAT teams brought in from out of state and a crack hostage rescue team flown in from Quantico, Virginia.

"I called my people in at 8:30 Thursday night (for briefing). They weren't to tell anyone, even their wives," said Medina. "Friday morning at 4:30 everybody was in place."

Even as camouflaged deputies and FBI agents crept through the woods to surround three Greenbank houses where federal suspects were hiding, not even the state patrol knew what was going on, said Medina. Because the neo-Nazis were known to have radio receivers and transmitters, 'mum' was the word over patrol car radios. "They had our frequency on their scanner."

Medina said he shared journalists' frustration at the scarcity of information that could be provided during the siege that shocked the island community, but defended his own reluctance to comment as "following orders" from the FBI to acknowledge nothing more than an "exercise."

And he defended the FBI's refusal to talk to reporters early on Dec. 7 as necessary.

Because of the secrecy, he said, "We hit them all three at the same ti just as planned.

Had one house been hit prematur the occupants could have warned t comrades at the other two locati Medina explained.

Medina's fellow speakers on "public and the press panel" chai by Whidbey News-Times news edi Dave Pinkham were Snohom County Executive Willis Tucker a Journalism Professor Lyle Har from Western Washington Univers in Bellingham.

Kay Armstrong of the Whidb Press advertising staff was a panel on another panel at the LaConn meeting. It covered solving current sales problems in the newspaper i dustry.

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